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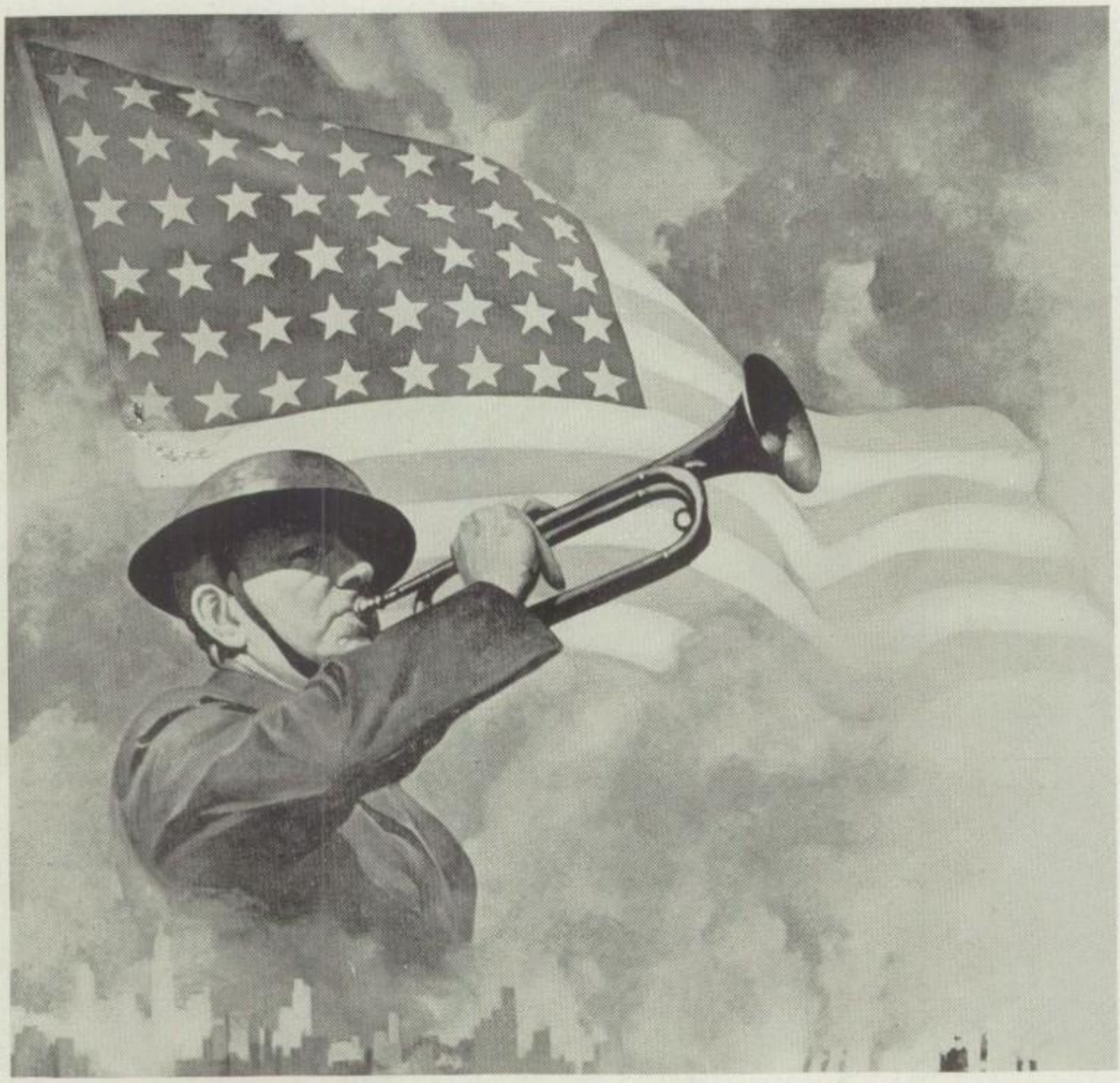

Dedication

WITH saddened hearts, we, the class of 1945, wish to dedicate this volume of the "Clairian" to the Alumni, who have made the supreme sacrifice, in the armed forces of our country. Wherever our heroes served, in answer to the call of their country—in Europe, Asia, Africa, Australia, the islands scattered in the Pacific, or within the border of the United States, we offer homage. No word or act of ours can add to their fame, yet in all humility, we pay tribute to their bravery and loyalty and steadfastness.

In sorrow, we salute these courageous youth, and solemnly pledge that we will carry forward the battle to free democracy of its chains, and to secure a lasting peace—that our heroes shall not have died in vain. And we pray God's blessing rest upon them.

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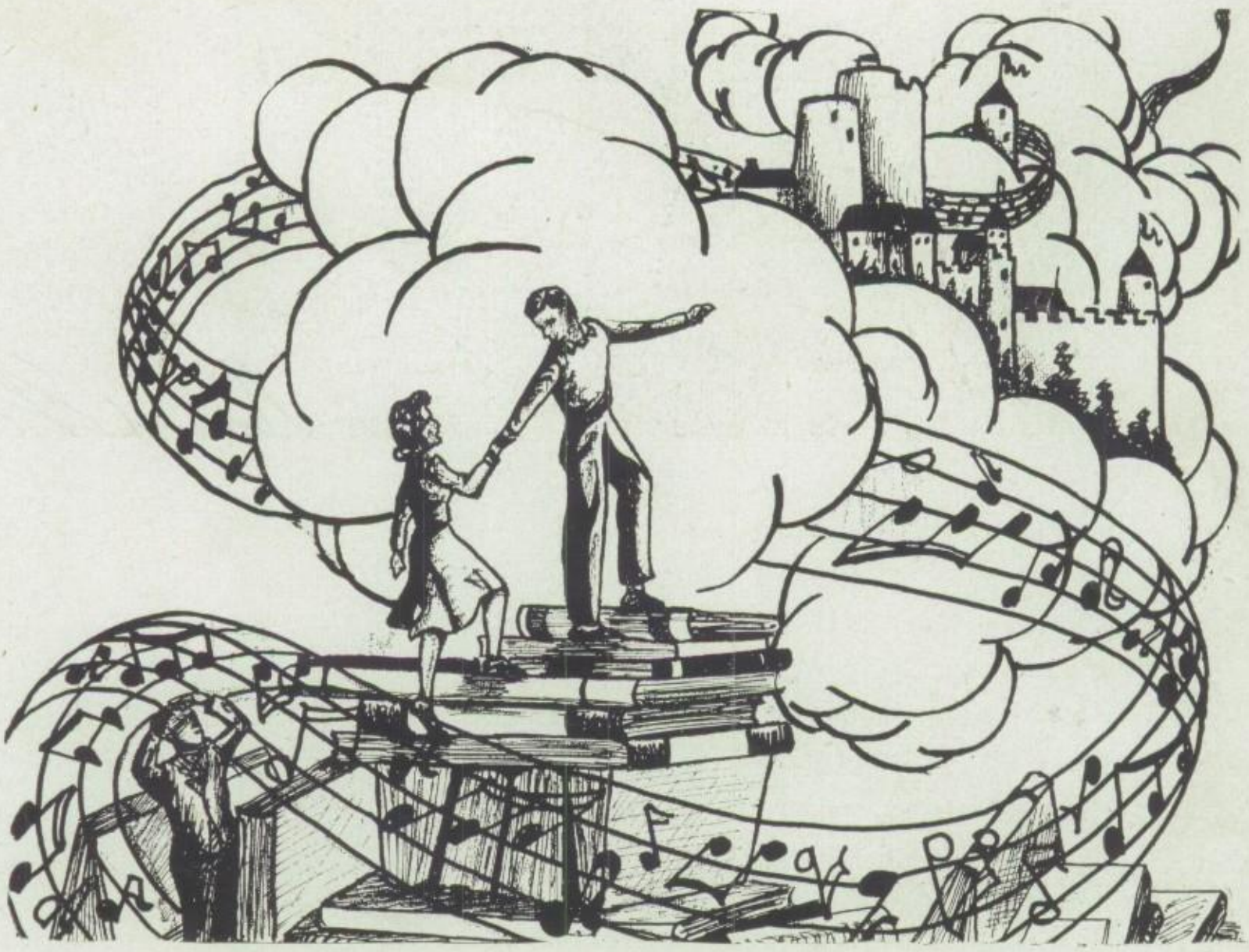
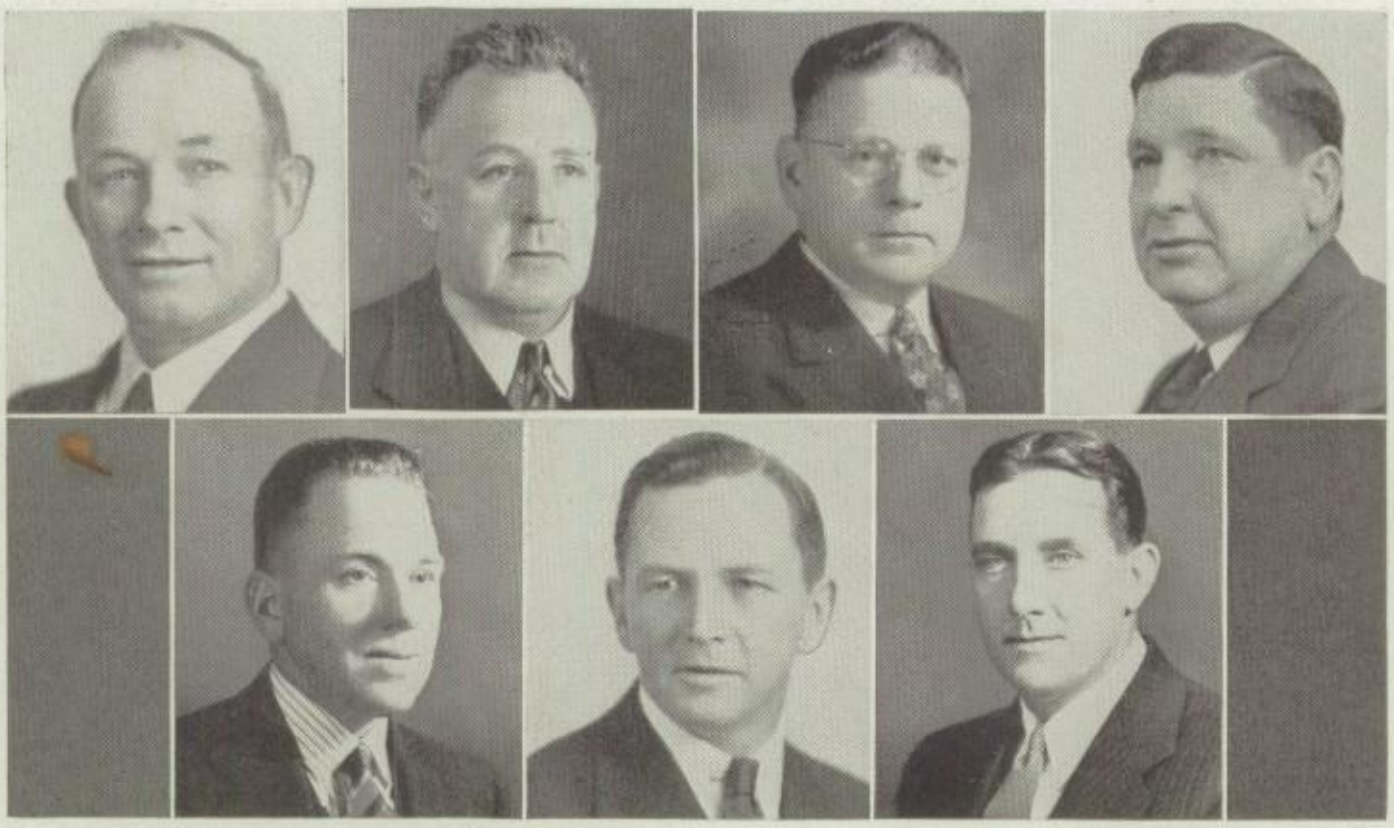
The School

The foundation of every Democracy is
its education of its youth.



CARL WELLER (*Artist*)

SECTION I



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We, the class of 1945, express to you, gentlemen of the Board of Education, our most sincere appreciation of your untiring efforts in our educationl welfare. You have unstintedly devoted your time and energy to place our High School on a high scholastic and athletic plane.

During the past four years, our study, under your guidance, has been most enjoyable and profitable, and we hope that in the future, your vigilance and devotion to duty, will lead to even greater achievement for Saint Clair High School.

In taking our departure, we wish again to assure you of our gratitude, for providing the facilities which have made our education possible.

Our success as builders both in the present and in the post-war world will depend largely upon our ability to conscientiously affirm and effectively employ the fundamental principles of democracy. Millions of our fellow-citizens are now fighting against the forces which would destroy those principles and the institutions which exemplify them. While they offer themselves as sacrifices to preserve our institutions and our way of life, we should dedicate ourselves to the task of preserving and strengthening those qualities of good citizenship which effective democracy demands.

C. R. Birch.

MR. CHARLES R. BIRCH
Superintendent

The members of the class of '45 face tremendous responsibilities, that of helping to win the war and helping to win the Peace. They have had adequate training for the task, and if they will remember the lessons of Democracy, Brotherly Love, and Rightful Thinking, that they have learned in school, the Victory will be ours.

E. S. Bodenhorn.

MR. E. S. BODENHORN
Prin. of High School

Faculty

We have reached another period in world history which is most critical—the planning of the peace which shall follow the conclusion of the war. We despise war, yet twice within a quarter of a century we have been forced to defend our liberties and our vital interests against powerful and brutal aggressor nations.

Our boys are sacrificing their lives today because the United States and the other Allied Nations did not succeed after the first World War in organizing and maintaining peace. We must now plan wisely and well so that a repetition of this war does not occur a generation hence.

Can we visualize a future war? Four years ago we were attacked at Pearl Harbor. Fortunately, we have been able to carry on the war far from our home land. However, newly developed weapons and air craft and munitions are of such wide range and so powerful, that if we permit any country to develop military power against us, the devastation shall be brought to our own soil and to our own homes. Without doubt the United States will be the first country attacked.

Therefore, another war must

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be prevented at any cost. It can be done, by carefully planning and developing, in cooperation with the peace-loving nations of the world, an organized peace, practical and satisfactory to all.

Difficult as it may seem, this ideal can be achieved. Greed and selfishness must be suppressed, and by cooperation, neighborliness, compromise, and good-will create a peaceful world order that will prevent wars and at the same time develop a friendly, mutually profitable relation among the peaceful nations of the world. We must end forever the power of the gangster to spread among innocent and weaker countries —fear, distrust, insecurity, hatred, bloodshed, ruin, and desolation.

According to our peace provisions, will depend the security of the world tomorrow. Therefore, let us plan safely, sanely, and securely, that we may build magnificently.

We must do our part to win the war and to win the peace. To prepare the students for this important task as "Builders of Tomorrow", is the aim of the faculty.

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The Parent Teachers Association wishes to extend to the Class of 1945, greetings, congratulations, and best wishes for a happy and prosperous life.

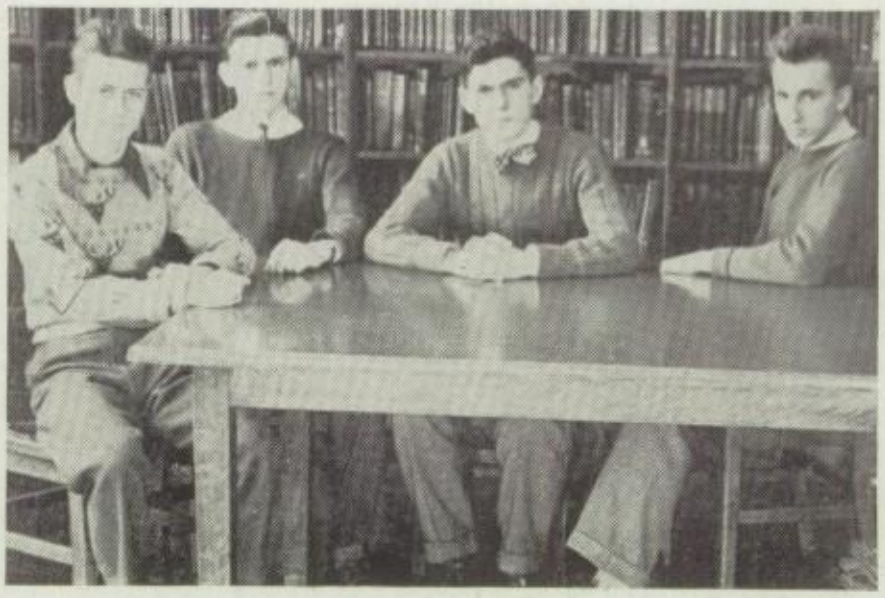
You are entering the work-a-day world at a very critical time in history. The war is still to be won. Impatient to do your bit to achieve victory, some of you, before reaching the military age, have volunteered your services; some have been called. You, brave young men, especially, do we honor and salute, and pray for your safe return when peace has been restored.

Likewise, eager to carry your share of responsibility, many Senior girls will answer the call of the government, in its desperate need of nurses. You have prepared for this work by taking a special course in Chemistry. Your foresight is commendable and we wish success to our future "Angels of Mercy,"

There are those who will enter higher institutions of learning, others will enter the business world, while many will secure any work which will aid in furthering the war effort.

Wherever life calls you, whatever your activities, may we urge you to your best effort, and reap life's greatest reward—the satisfaction of duty well done.

CLASS OF 1945



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Class Motto: Prepared
Class Flower: Red Rose
Class Colors: Blue and Silver
Advisors: Miss Mildred Thorn and Mr. Francis N. Mooney

Four years ago, we, the class of '45, entered the portals of Saint Clair High School. We had the usual Freshman characteristics resulting from inexperience and a sense of inferiority, which disappeared after we became accustomed to the High School routine. Then—the fateful day of December 7th arrived. All the world now felt the effects of the war, and we were no exception, for the remainder of our high school years were tinged by it.

As we began our Sophomore year, the class was increased by a large group of students from the Townships. We were kept busy doing our bit for the war effort. This bit included the buying of War Bonds and Stamps, working as telephonists and messengers during practice air raids, and taking part in the Victory Corps which was organized in the school. These activities did not prevent many of our members from distinguishing themselves scholastically, athletically, and socially.

The traditional Junior Prom was the outstanding event of our Junior year. We planned for it, worked for it, and, with the untiring aid of our class advisors, made the ball an event which will long be remembered.

Now that we are seniors, we realize that our school days will soon be over. The joys and experiences we have shared during the past four years are a memory which we will treasure forever. We thank all who have helped us to surmount the difficulties of those years, giving us a firm foundation, on which we, as "The Builders of Tomorrow," may successfully cope with the intricate problems of the future.

ANNE BARLAS "Anne"

"Friendship is love with understanding."

Although reserved, Anne has her gay and witty moments, but her friendship can be depended upon always. She participates in all the social affairs of the school. Hiking and dancing are her favorite hobbies. In recognition of our desperate need of nurses, Anne intends to respond to the call of the United States by training for that noble profession.

Academic Course; Sewing Club, 1; First Aid, 2; Telephonist, 2; Glee Club, 2, 4; Alpha Delta Pi, 3, 4; Literary Staff.

DOROTHY BARNES "Dot"

"The inconvenience or the beauty of a blush, which is greater?"

"Dot" is a petite blond with a rosy complexion. She is cheerful and optimistic. In her quiet way she enjoys all the school activities. Although she seems shy, her friends know she is very companionable and jolly. She should easily attain success in the business world.

Commercial Course; Glee Club, 1; Business Training Club, 3, 4.

EILEEN BARRY "Eileen"

"Through difficulties to the stars."

Eileen is one of our most attractive brunettes and a very charming personality. She hails from New Castle Township. She plans to be a nurse and we know her determination and industry, in addition to her other qualities, will carry her far.

Academic Course; First Aid, 2; Telephonist, 2.

JAMES BLOXHAM "Blox"

"A laugh is worth a hundred groans in any market."

Behold! Here is the class wit and actor. His humor, deep voice, and smiling countenance have attracted many friends. He has participated in many plays in which he excels in character portrayal. We wish success and happiness to this jovial lad in whatever he may undertake.

General Course; Nature Club, 1; Vice President, 3; Student Council, 3, 4; Prom Committee; Class Treasurer, 4; Glee Club, 4; Literary Staff.

WALTER BORIS "Wally"

"At evening home is the best place for man."

"Wally" is one of those few Seniors who would rather listen than talk. His popularity with the fairer sex is due to his good looks and personality. Much of his leisure is spent "palling around" with the boys. His plans are indefinite but we wish him the best.

General Course; Airplane Club, 1; Alpha Delta Pi, 3.

BARLAS, ANNE
BARRY, EILEEN
BORIS, WALTER
BARNES, DOROTHY
BLOXHAM, JAMES
BRADY, THERESA

THERESA BRADY "Tess"

"Kindness is the golden chain by which society is bound together."

"Tess" is the blue-eyed, tawny haired lass whose kind consideration of others has won her many friends. Diligent, industrious, and punctual, she is a good student. We are sure these attributes will triumph in her future work.

Academic Course; Sewing Club, 1; Home Hygiene, 2; Telephonist, 2; Class President, 2; Prom Committee, 3; Alpha Delta Pi, 3, 4; Business Staff.

BRESLIN, CHARLES
BUMBAK, ANDREW
BURNS, JAMES
BUCHANAN, DAVID
BURKE, JANE
CHACKO, HELEN

CHARLES BRESLIN "Bres"

"What is not fully understood is not possessed."

"Bres" displays a great interest in science. He is somewhat girl shy and quiet, but that does not prevent the girls from liking him. "Bres" spends most of his time experimenting. We expect to hear great things of him in the future.

Academic Course; Aviation Club, 1, 2; Alpha Delta Pi, 3, 4.

DAVID BUCHANAN "Bucky"

"Perseverance brings success."

"Bucky" is one of several classmates who has a two-fold personality. At times he is serious and thoughtful, but his friends know him to be carefree and jolly. He expects to study medicine. We shall always remember him as a loyal and trustworthy friend. May he realize his ambition.

Academic Course; Athletic Club, 1; Alpha Delta Pi, 3, 4; Prom Committee; Literary Staff.

ANDREW BUMBAK "Andy"

"Many a true word is spoken in jest."

"Andy" is one of the care-free members of the class of '45. He is a happy-go-lucky fellow and he has made many friends. He spends his leisure time reading and he is interested in sports. His pleasures and joys overcome seriousness and study. We wish him good fortune in his future plans.

General Course; Airplane Club, 1; Glee Club, 4.

JANE BURKE "Jane"

"A little girl so neat,
And most of all so very sweet."

Neatness and efficiency are outstanding qualities of Jane. She always has a sweet smile for everyone, naturally she is most popular. She enjoys dancing and all the school activities. Her happy disposition assures her success in her future career—nursing.

Academic Course; Gym Club, 1; Treasurer, 1; Home Hygiene, 2; Telephonist, 2; Prom Committee, 3; Alpha Delta Pi, 3, 4; Literary Staff.

JAMES BURNS "Pepper"

"There is not a single moment in life that we can afford to lose."

"Pepper" wastes no time as he finds either work or worthwhile enjoyment to occupy his hours. Possessing a sense of humor, he is quite popular. He is industrious and a good student. James has enlisted in the Service of the United States Navy. The class salutes you. Good luck.

Academic Course; Airplane Club, 1; Pre-Flight Aeronautics, 2; Class Secretary, 2; Alpha Delta Pi, 3, 4; Prom Committee; Vice President, 4; Literary Staff.

HELEN CHACKO "Helen"

"Diligence leads to greater opportunities."

Helen, although very quiet, is always friendly and willing to lend a helping hand. She has a lovely smile and a clear voice. Her favorite pastime is reading. Her earnestness and sincerity will guide her in whatever she selects to do.

General Course; Sewing Club, 1; Glee Club, 1.

JEAN CHAPLICK "Sheenie"

"Variety is the very spice of life, that gives it all its flavor."

"Sheenie", one of the talkative, fun-loving group, joined us in our Sophomore year. She varies serious study with the lighter elements of education. She has a charming personality with a melodious voice. The best life has to offer is our earnest wish.

General Course; Telephonist, 2; Glee Club, 2, 3; Business Staff.

EDWARD CONNORS "Ted"

"The highest degree of earthly happiness is quiet."

"Ted" is a reserved, industrious student whose chief interest is typing. He participates in school plays and cooperates in all school activities. He particularly enjoys the theatre. His industry in school work signifies future success. Edward has enlisted in the service of the United States Navy. We wish you the best luck and a safe return.

Commercial Course; Airplane Club, 1; Business Training Club, 3, 4.

ALAN CRAWSHAW "Lefty"

"The world is his who enjoys it."

"Lefty", a humorous member of the class, likes to tease. He thoroughly enjoys sports. He is interested in photography and devotes his leisure time to this particular activity. We wish him a happy, prosperous future. Alan is now serving in the United States Navy. Our hats are off to you. Good luck.

Academic Course; Football, 1, 2; Basketball, 1; Airplane Club, 1; Football Club, 1; Pre-Flight Aeronautics, 2; Prom Committee, 3; Basketball Manager, 4; Glee Club, 4.

EDWARD CRAWSHAW "Ed"

"He who is determined has half his work done."

"Ed" seldom gets angry and usually wears a smile. He is interested in athletics as he is the manager of both the basketball and football teams. He is industrious and dependable in his class work. Edward is now helping Uncle Sam win the war. Our best wishes are ever with you.

Commercial Course; Sports Club, 1; Pre-Flight Aeronautics, 2; Baseball Manager, 2, 3, 4; Football Manager, 4; Business Training Club, 3, 4.

GEORGE DAVIS "Puddin"

"Improve your time and your time will improve you."

Although quiet and reserved, George is an interesting member of the class, as he is always ready with a witty answer. Reading is his hobby, and he enjoys school life. May his efforts lead to greater opportunities.

Academic Course; Sports Club, 2; Alpha Delta Pi, 4.

JAMES DAVIS "Jim"

"Nothing succeeds like success."

"Jim" is another jovial member of our class. He can frequently be seen in khaki. Can it be wishful thinking? His chief hobby is driving a coupe. We know he will be successful in whatever he chooses as he is a painstaking student.

Academic Course; Airplane Club, 1, 2; Alpha Delta Pi, 3, 4; Prom Committee, 3.

CHAPLICK, JEAN
CRAWSHAW, ALAN
DAVIS, GEORGE

CONNORS, EDWARD
CRAWSHAW, EDWARD
DAVIS, JAMES

FORTY-FIVE

JOSEPH DALEY "Crow"

"Be friendly and you will never want friends."

Joseph is a load of fun among his intimate friends. While he gives an impression of shyness, among his pals he is very congenial. He is diligent and reliable in his class work. Good luck to you, Joseph.

General Course; Airplane Club, 1.

DALEY, JOSEPH
DIKUN, HELEN
DORMER, HELEN
DEMARKIS, ROSE
DODDS, MILDRED
DRAOVITCH, NANCY

ROSE DEMARKIS "Rosie"

"The great aim of life is not knowledge but action."

This attractive young miss is small of stature and is best described as being happy-go-lucky. Her favorite hobby is singing as she has a beautiful soprano voice. We have confidence in "Rosie's" ability to succeed.

Commercial Course; Sewing Club, 1; Glee Club, 2; Business Training Club, 4.

HELEN DIKUN "Helen"

"Hitch your wagon to a star."

Helen is easily recognized by her sweet, friendly smile. A good student, she is most outstanding in shorthand and typing. Her favorite hobbies are reading and dancing. Our prediction is that she will occupy an important position as a secretary.

Commercial Course; Glee Club, 1; Telephonist, 2; Prom Committee, 3; Business Training Club, 3, 4; Business Staff.

MILDRED DODDS "Mil"

"Mirth is the medicine of life,
It cures its ills and calms its strife."

Tall and dignified, Mildred apparently has no cares. For all who meet her she has a glad word and a twinkle in her eye. Dancing is her chief enjoyment. Her special interest lies in the field of nursing in which she is bound to excel.

Academic Course; Glee Club, 1; Sewing Club, 1; Telephonist, 2; Alpha Delta Pi, 3, 4.

HELEN DORMER "Helen"

"Sweets to the sweet."

Her loveliness and modesty have won Helen many friends. She is a serious worker and a jolly companion. All the football and basketball games she attends regularly—a sports fan. Her patience and gentleness will be valuable assets in her future career as a nurse.

Academic Course; Vice President, 1; Sewing Club, 1; First Aid, 2; Telephonist, 2; Prom Committee, 3; Alpha Delta Pi, 3, 4; Literary Staff.

NANCY DRAOVITCH "Nancy"

"Industry conquers every difficulty."

Nancy possesses a charming personality and she is sincere in her friendship. Every task she undertakes is done to the best of her ability. She likes music and dancing. Her ambition is to be a secretary. Her industrious habits will pave the way to success.

Commercial Course; Sewing Club, 1; Glee Club, 1, 2, 3; Business Training Club, 3, 4.

GEORGE FESKO "Georgie"

"Action, not speech, proves the man."

George came to S.C.H.S. from New York in his Sophomore year. His genial personality has won him many friends. Quiet in manner, neat in appearance, and diligent in his work, he deserves the best in life.

Academic Course; Prom Committee, 3; Alpha Delta Pi, 4.

ANN FLANNERY "Nancy"

"Seek and you will find the world contains many joys."

"Nancy," one of our most vivacious cheer leaders, enjoys all the activities of the school. She is a firm believer in the proverb concerning "all work and no play." Her winning ways endear her to all. She, too, desires to minister to the ill, and we know she is well adapted to this service.

Academic Course; Sewing Club, 1; Telephonist, 2; Home Hygiene, 2, 3; Prom Committee; Cheer Leader, 1, 2, 3, 4; Business Staff.

MARY FRIGA "Mary"

"The useful and the truly beautiful are never separated."

Mary possesses a charming personality which is enhanced by her attractive clothes. She is very popular with all her classmates. She is skillful in her typing and shorthand, and we know that she will succeed as a secretary.

Commercial Course; Sewing Club, 1; Glee Club, 1; First Aid, 2; Business Training Club, 3, 4; Literary Staff.

ADAM GIEMZA "Curlie"

"He flies with his own wings."

"Curlie" is a tall, smiling lad who did splendid work as fullback on the football squad, and he is finding time to take flying lessons in addition to all his other activities. Adam has answered the call to the colors and is now serving in the United States Navy. Best wishes and a safe return.

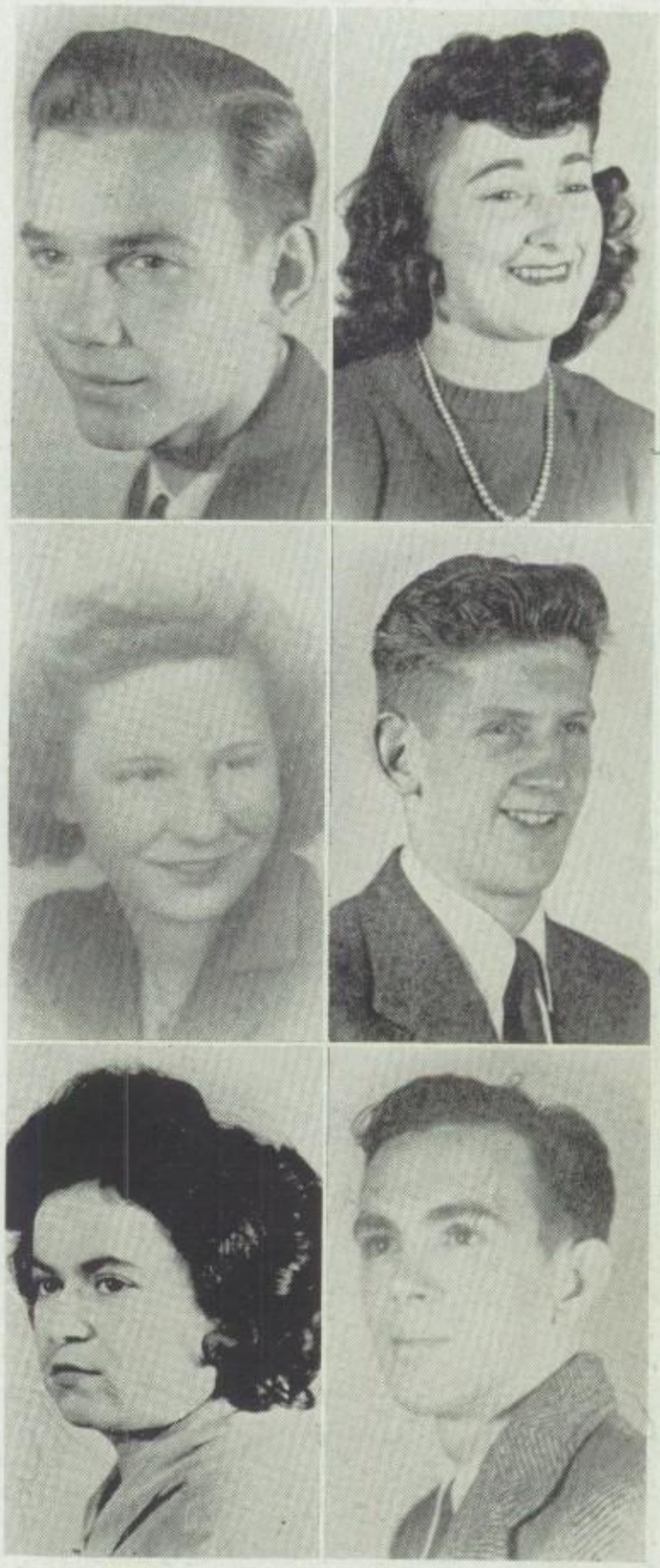
Academic Course; Airplane Club, 1; Pre-Flight Aeronautics, 2; Basketball, 2, 3; Glee Club, 2, 3, 4.

MARY GONDORCHIN "Mary"

"A good mind possesses a kingdom."

Mary is a sincere, diligent, Commercial student of outstanding ability. She possesses a serious, calm nature, yet she is cheerful and gay among her own friends. With these attributes she is sure to meet great opportunities.

Commercial Course; Sewing Club, 1; Telephonist, 2; Business Training Club, 3, 4; Business Staff.



FESKO, GEORGE
FRIGA, MARY
GONDORCHIN, MARY

FLANNERY, ANN
GIEMZA, ADAM
GOULD, GAVITT

GAVITT GOULD "Gav"

"A cheerful countenance betokens a good heart."

"Gav" is a smiling, dark haired, humorous chap, popular among his school mates. A member of the Varsity Basketball Squad this year, he is an enthusiast in all school activities. Gavitt is now serving his country as a member of the United States Navy. We wish you God speed and a safe return.

Academic Course; Band, 1, 2; Athletic Club, 2; Glee Club, 2, 3, 4; Basketball, 3, 4; Business Staff.

GUSTITUS, JUNE
HENTZ, LOIS MARY
HILLMAN, NAOMI

HEBOR, MARGARET
HERCHAK, FRANCES
HOROSCHAK, VIOLET

JUNE GUSTITUS "Junie"

"For they can conquer who believe they can."

One of the most popular members of the class, June possesses a very pleasant disposition and has the ability to make and keep friends. She displayed her patriotism by selling stamps and bonds. Her ambition is to be a laboratory technician. With her industry and earnestness, she will attain her goal.

Academic Course; Sewing Club, 1; Telephonist, 2; Prom Committee, 3; Business Staff.

MARGARET HEBOR "Margie"

"Speech is great but silence is greater."

"Margie" is an extremely quiet girl but her friendship, when once given, can be depended upon under all circumstances. She is an out-of-town student who comes on the bus each day. Her loyalty, reliability, and trustworthiness will bring happiness, prosperity, and contentment.

General Course; Sewing Club, 1; Telephonist, 2; Glee Club, 2, 3.

LOIS MARY HENTZ "Loey"

"Efficiency swings open the Door of Success."

Capable, friendly, sincere, and energetic describe Lois Mary. Her three years as a member of the Student Council testify to the fact that she holds a high place in the hearts of her classmates. This versatile lass is sure to attain a large measure of prosperity.

Commercial Course; Music Theory, 1; Glee Club, 1, 2, 3, 4; Telephonist, 2; First Aid, 2; Student Council, 2, 3, 4; Business Training Club, 3, 4; Literary Staff.

FRANCES HERCHAK "Flossie"

"Life is not so short but that there is always time for courtesy."

Refined, neat, and winsome aptly describe Frances. Her leisure hours are devoted to reading. Her sweet smile and charming disposition have endeared her to her classmates, and will bring her success and happiness.

Academic Course; Sewing Club, 1; Glee Club, 2, 4; First Aid, 2; Telephonist, 2; Alpha Delta Pi, 3, 4; Student Council, 4.

NAOMI HILLMAN "Nome"

"Modesty has more charms than beauty."

Although "Nome" is quiet and reserved, she is always willing to cooperate in school affairs. She enjoys her hobby, crocheting, in which she has become proficient. She wishes to be a beautician, and, with her willingness to work, we hold no doubt of her ability to attain her goal.

General Course; Sewing Club, 1.

VIOLET HOROSCHAK "Vi"

"A merry heart doeth good."

Shy and modest of countenance, "Vi" is indeed a witty and jolly companion. Since coming to us in her sophomore year, her sense of humor attracted a host of friends. She is a diligent student. May life abundantly bestow upon her its blessings.

General Course; Sewing Club, 1; Glee Club, 2, 3; Telephonist, 2; Business Staff.

CLAIRIAN

MICHAEL HRESKO "Cassidy"

"Good humor is one of the best articles of dress one can wear in society."

Have a question about sports? Ask "Cassidy." He entered a bright season as end until a bad break incapacitated him, but he remained undaunted. His cheerfulness and courage in the face of difficulties are indications that he will succeed throughout life.

General Course; Athletic Club, 1; Football, 2, 3, 4; Basketball, 2, 3; Basketball Manager, 4.

GEORGE JURICK "George"

"He that inquires much learns much."

George is the strong, silent type. He spends much of his leisure driving, typing, and playing the accordion. His ambition is to be a member of the State Constabulary. With his fine qualities he will surmount all obstacles in his chosen career.

Commercial Course; Music Theory Club, 1; First Aid, 2; Prom Committee, 3.

JOSEPH KALYAN "Ike"

"To the sportsman belongs the outdoors."

Joseph comes from Diener's Hill. Perhaps his long walk to school creates a love for the outdoors, and his interest in his favorite sports, skating and hunting. He intends to join the Army Air Forces. Let us be first to wish him well.

General Course; Airplane Club, 1, 2; Alpha Delta Pi, 3, 4.

FRANCIS KEFFER "Hawk"

"A good friend is better than silver or gold."

"Hawk," though small of stature, carries full responsibility. He belongs to the quiet group, but he displays fine sportsmanship among his fellow students. He prefers a bow tie, and is especially fond of pigeons. May life have much of interest for him in the future.

General Course; Airplane Club, 1; Baseball Manager, 1; Student Council, 2; Glee Club, 4.

LILLIAN KELLAGHER "Pidge"

"Nothing is impossible to industry."

This young lady is an intelligent student who stands high on the scholastic records. She is most attractive and very popular. Her activities are numerous and we expect, as the result of work well done, that she will rise to distinction.

Academic Course; Student Council, 1; Sewing Club, 1; Telephonist, 2; First Aid, 2; Prom Committee, 3; Alpha Delta Pi, 3, 4; Sect. of Alpha Delta Pi, 4; Editor of Clairian.

ELIZABETH KELLY "Betty"

"A smile for all, a greeting glad,
A lovable, jolly way she had."

In addition to being well dressed, pretty, and very charming, "Betty" is blessed with a ready, Irish wit, a cheerful smile, and a care-free manner. To this list add scholastic ability and she has a combination of qualities that we know will lead to happiness.

Academic Course; Student Council, 1; Gym Club, 1; Home Hygiene, 2; Telephonist, 2; Orchestra, 1, 2, 3, 4; Prom Committee, 3; Alpha Delta Pi, 3, 4; Treasurer Alpha Delta Pi, 4.

HRESKO, MICHAEL
KALYAN, JOSEPH
KELLAGHER, LILLIAN
JURICK, GEORGE
KEFFER, FRANCIS
KELLY, ELIZABETH

FORTY-FIVE

KIDURKIS, ALBERTA
KLEMER, DOROTHY
KOSTREY, ANN

KLEIN, ANN
KANEZO, ALBERT
KOSTREY, MICHAEL

ALBERTA KIDURKIS "Al"

"No profit grows where no pleasure is taken."

A happy-go-lucky mood is usually associated with "Al" who enjoys fun. Her inexhaustible supply of mirth and cheerfulness has assured her popularity among her fellow classmates, who wish her success in the commercial field.

Commercial Course; Sewing Club, 1.

ANN KLEIN "Ann"

"What care I for worry, if worry cares not for me?"

Ann is a sedate and pretty member of the Commercial group. We can best describe her as being small, unassuming, and never worried, but kind and thoughtful of others. May her calmness and serenity guide her on life's way.

Commercial Course; Music Theory, 1.

DOROTHY KLEMER "Dot"

"A business training for me."

"Dot," with pretty blonde hair, green eyes, and a friendly smile has a most pleasing personality. An active Commercial student, she has promoted the activities of the B.T.C. and will make an ideal secretary.

Commercial Course; Sewing Club, 1; Business Training Club, 3, 4.

ALBERT KNEZO "Ally"

"Patience and application will win success."

"Ally," one of the most popular students in the school, is tall, quiet, and progressive, with a flare for automobile mechanics. He is interested in all the school activities. His industry and determination will bring achievement. we are sure.

Academic Course; Airplane Club, 1, 2.

ANN KOSTREY "Ann"

"Her virtues are many; her faults are few."

Ann is one of the fortunate members of the class endowed by nature with both mentality and physical attractiveness. A devotee of dancing and rollar skating, she is popular among her classmates. Her rise to success is assured by her strong will to win.

Commercial Course; Sewing Club, 1; First Aid, 2; Telephonist, 2; Business Training Club, 3, 4; Treasurer of Business Training Club, 4.

MICHAEL KOSTREY "Herb"

"Whatever is worth doing at all, is worth doing well."

"Herb" is a tall, reserved, industrious member of the class. He enjoys athletics and he is keenly interested in all extra curricular activities. A fine leader, he is sure to succeed. We wish him the best life has to offer.

Academic Course; Sports Club, 1; Pre-Flight Aeronautics, 2; Student Council, 1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball, 2, 3, 4; Glee Club, 2, 3, 4; Class President, 2, 4; Class Treasurer, 2; Prom Committee, 3; Alpha Delta Pi, 3, 4; Business Staff.

STEPHEN COVACH "Cookie"

"Small of stature but large of heart,
In all activities, he does his part."

Stephen is one of the active members of the class. He plays in the school band and has a keen interest in sports and the school functions. Although we do not know what he plans to do, he is sure to succeed because he is willing to work.

Academic Course; Sport Club, 1; Band, 1, 2, 3, 4; Alpha Delta Pi, 3, 4; Business Staff.

CATHERINE KUHARSKY "Kay"

"Cheerful company shortens the miles."

"Kay" is a cheerful little lass who is never seen without a smile on her lips and a song in her heart. Feel blue about anything? Just talk your troubles over with Kay; she'll cheer you. An excellent French student, Kay intends to continue her linguistic studies after she graduates.

Academic Course; Music Club, 1; First Aid, 2; Glee Club, 3, 4; Literary Staff.

MICHAEL KUNDRACK "Mike"

"Great hopes make great men."

Under a carefree exterior "Mike" has a serious philosophy of life. He is interested in sports and other activities of the school. He plans to study in a higher institution of learning. May he realize his ambition.

Academic Course; Sports Club, 1; Pre-Flight Aeronautics, 2; Glee Club, 3, 4.

THOMAS KURTEK "Kurt"

"Deserve success and you shall command it."

"Kurt" is a musician. His musical talent leads us to believe he will be a popular orchestra leader. His favorite sport is basketball, but he keeps his life ambition a secret. A conscientious student, he will rise to the top.

Academic Course; Band, 1, 2, 3, 4; Alpha Delta Pi, 3, 4; Business Staff.

RENEE LIGHTSTONE "Renee"

"As welcome as the flowers in May."

This dark haired lass with beautiful dark eyes is very popular in her class. As Vice President of the B.T.C. she has promoted leadership and good sportsmenship among her fellow students. Her hobbies include reading, dancing, and ice skating. She intends to continue her commercial training.

Commercial Course; Glee Club, 1, 2; Telephonist, 2; First Aid, 2; Business Training Club, 3, 4; Vice President of B.T.C., 4; Assistant Business Manager of Business Staff.

COVACH, STEPHEN
KUNDRACK, MICHAEL
LIGHTSTONE, RENEE
KUHARSKY, CATHERINE
KURTEK, THOMAS
LISHMAN, ROY

ROY LISHMAN "Roy"

"Much wisdom often goes with fewest words."

Roy, a senior of few words, stands high as a commercial student. His industry, however, does not prevent his enjoyment of the social activities of the school. We predict that a promising place in the field of commerce will await him.

Commercial Course; Airplane Club, 1; Business Training Club, 3, 4.

LIZAK, LEONARD
MARKUS, CLARENCE
NAUNCICAS, MARGARET

MACKO, JOHN
MELNIC, MICHAEL
PETERS, JOHN

LEONARD LIZAK "Lenny"

"A merry heart maketh a cheerful countenance."

Even though we have known "Lenny" for only this past year, he has made many friends in Saint Clair High School. He wears a smile almost constantly and he is a proficient dancer, a fine athlete, and a good student. We are certain he will make a place for himself in the future.

Academic Course; Basketball, 4; Alpha Delta Pi, 4.

JOHN MACKO "John"

"A wise man will make more opportunities than he finds."

Thoughtful and serious, John's aim is to accomplish his day's work. He is neat and trim in appearance and he enjoys all the school activities. He is a diligent student, most sincere and trustworthy, who will do well in any walk of life.

Academic Course; Sports Club, 1, 2; Alpha Delta Pi, 3, 4.

CLARENCE MARKUS "Fez"

"What depth of character lies beneath thy calm."

Clarence is the handsome, retiring member of the class of '45 who is popular with his fellow students. Mechanically minded, repairing automobiles is a diversion. He is an expert skater. His deep voice is seldom heard, but we know he will assert his leadership ability in the race of life.

General Course; Athletic Club, 1.

MICHAEL MELNIC "Mike"

"Agility and grace are thine."

"Mike" can best be described as a popular man about town. An excellent musician, he excels in the social graces, especially dancing. A lover of rhythm, he should distinguish himself in the field of music.

General Course; Music Theory, 1; Orchestra, 1, 2, 3; Band, 1, 2, 3; Glee Club, 3, 4.

MARGARET NAUNCIKAS "Margie"

"A wealth of friends has she."

Behold our attractive, blond cheerleader. "Margie's" vitality and charm, in addition to her friendly interest, have made her popular with her classmates. She is a graceful dancer. "Margie" in the future will be a "woman in white" for she plans to be a nurse.

Academic Course; Sewing Club, 1; Telephonist, 2; Prom Committee, 3; Glee Club, 1, 2, 3, 4; Cheerleader, 1, 2, 3, 4.

JOHN PETERS "Jack"

"With my head in the clouds."

Among the most popular members of our class is "Jack," whose humor is enjoyed by many. He is a football player of note and he is the proud possessor of a pilot's license. He intends to follow aviation as his chosen career. Happy landing, "Jack."

Academic Course; Class President, 1; Football Club, 1; Airplane Club, 2; Glee Club, 3; Football, 1, 2, 3, 4.

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ELEANOR PETLANSKY "Eleanor"

"She is always kind and sweet,
Very dainty, prim, and neat."

Eleanor, one of the taller members of our class, is very popular. She enjoys dancing. An active Commercial student, she is an earnest worker and she has a lovely personality. We sincerely hope she will make her way far, in the future.

Commercial Course; Sewing Club, 1; Business Training Club, 3, 4.

MARIE POLIK "Marie"

"Her step is music and her voice is a song."

Marie is an attractive blond who possesses a beautiful voice. Beside her exceptional musical ability, she is a good student, participating in all the school activities. She aspires to be a secretary of merit and we know her aspirations are well founded. Good luck.

Commercial Course; First Aid, 2; Telephonist, 2; Glee Club, 1, 2, 3, 4; Business Training Club, 3, 4.

ELEANOR POWELL "Eleanor"

"Speech is great but silence is greater."

Eleanor is another of those Seniors who would rather listen than talk. Although she may seem reserved, more intimate acquaintance reveals that she is really quite friendly. Reading, dancing, and roller skating are her favorite hobbies. As a good Commercial student she will succeed. Sunshine and bright skies lie ahead.

Commercial Course; Sewing Club, 1; Telephonist, 2; Literary Staff.

ANDREW PREMICH "Primer"

"Watch the minutes and the hours and days will be safe."

Take a good look at this handsome chap, for he is an all 'round good fellow, quiet and industrious. He has accomplished good work in football and basketball. His rise to success will be closely observed and encouraged by his classmates.

General Course; Sports Club, 1; Band, 1, 2; Football, 3, 4; Basketball, 3, 4.

HELEN PUSHCAROVICH "Helen"

"Smile and the world smiles with you."

Helen is one of our most popular Seniors. A lover of dancing and an ardent sports fan, she has made many friends. Her extra-curricular activities, however, have not interfered with her scholastic ability, for she is an excellent student. Her lovely voice and charming smile assure her future success.

Academic Course; Gym Club, 1; Glee Club, 1, 2, 3, 4; President of Glee Club, 4; First Aid, 2; Prom Committee; Alpha Delta Pi, 3, 4; Assistant Editor of Clarian.

FRANK RAUS "Abner"

"An honest man is the noblest work of God."

"Tops" with the feminine world is this handsome blond. His good nature and friendliness are but a few of his admirable traits. He has earned considerable success in basketball which indicates further accomplishment.

Academic Course; Sports Club, 1; Airplane Club, 1; Basketball, 2, 3, 4.

PETLANSKY, ELEANOR
POWELL, ELEANOR
PUSHCAROVICH, HELEN

POLIK, MARIE
PREMICH, ANDREW
RAUS, FRANK

FORTY-FIVE

READING, ESTHER
REESE, ALGER
SCHUSTER, MARGARET

READING, RUSSELL
SAKMARI, JUSTINE
SELINKO, FRANCES

ESTHER READING "Eppie"

"Generosity comes from the heart."

Her sunny disposition and generous nature have won "Eppie" many friends. She likes to swim and listen to a certain crooner on the radio. She is a staunch supporter of all school activities. Her goal is to be a secretary and we know she will achieve it.

Commercial Course; Glee Club, 1; Sewing Club, 1.

RUSSELL READING "Russ"

"A deep, genuine, heartfelt sincerity is a trait of true and noble manhood."

"Russ," a dark, handsome member of our class, is studious, quiet, and courteous, and a perfect gentleman. In addition to this he is a pleasant companion and has many friends. His plans for the future are indefinite as he entered the Service in January. We wish him God speed and a safe return.

General Course; Aviation Club, 1, 2.

ALGER REESE "Al"

"Happy am I; from care I'm free,
Why aren't they all contented like me?"

"Al" is one of the rare type who takes life as it comes. His witty and refreshing humor has won him many friends. His music career is noteworthy, having been a bandmember throughout his high school career. We are confident he will reach the top.

General Course; Aviation Club, 1; Band, 1, 2, 3, 4; Glee Club, 4.

JUSTINE SAKMARI "Jesse"

"Happy is she who is content."

"Jesse's" wit and vivacity have made her outstanding among her classmates. An active member of the Student Council, as well as a very energetic cheerleader, she attends every school function, social or athletic. Her charming personality is sure to lead her to achievement.

Academic Course; Sewing Club, 1; First Aid, 2; Student Council, 4; Prom Committee, 3; Cheerleader, 1, 2, 3, 4; Captain of Cheerleaders, 4; Business Staff.

MARGARET SCHUSTER "Peggy"

"Come, let us dance and be merry."

Life is just oodles of fun for this little red head; study doesn't seem to worry her. "Peggy" is well liked by everyone, for her disposition is as bright as her hair. Happiness will be hers always if she continues to dance her way through life.

General Course; Sewing Club, 1.

FRANCES SELINKO "Fran"

"The glass of fashion."

"Fran" is another envied red head of our class. Seldom seen without a smile, she always looks on the bright side of life. Tall, slender, and well dressed, her chief pastimes are dancing and going to the movies. A good commercial student, she will be indispensable in some office, we are sure.

Commercial Course; Hobby Club, 1; Telephonist, 2; Business Training Club, 3, 4; Glee Club, 1, 2.

ANN SETLOCK "Fuz"

"Active natures are rarely melancholy."

"Fuz," with her naturally curly, brown hair and blue eyes, is alert and intensely interested in what is happening in the world today. Budgeting her time, she is always ready for work or play. A fine student, her intelligence and ambition will guide her to success.

Academic Course; Sewing Club, 1; First Aid, 2; Alpha Delta Pi, 3, 4; Literary Staff.

EDWARD SETLOCK "Chipp"

"Merry as the day is long."

Edward is a genial, fun-loving member of the class, well-liked by every one. Beneath his jovial exterior, however, is a serious, contemplative side which prompted him to join the Armed Forces of Uncle Sam. Our best wishes and hope for a safe return are yours.

Commercial Course; Glee Club, 1, 2.

JUNE SHAPBELL "June"

"Silence is the greatest ornament in a woman."

June proves the wisdom of the proverb, "Don't judge a book by its cover." At first glance, you would undoubtedly describe June as a quiet, bashful girl; but those who know her well will tell you that she is very charming and friendly. We wish you the best of everything, June, for you deserve no less.

Academic Course; Sewing Club, 1; Home Nursing, 2; Alpha Delta Pi, 3, 4.

MILDRED SISKO "Millie"

"In all thy getting, get wisdom."

Twinkling brown eyes and brown hair describe Mildred. Although she has a long walk to school, she is always punctual. Friendly and sincere, her favorite sport is ice skating. Her ambition to be a secretary will come true.

Commercial Course; Telephonist, 2; Glee Club, 1, 2, 3; Business Training Club, 3, 4.

ELEANORE STEBNICKI "Stiney"

"She who inquires much, learns much."

"Stiney" is an earnest student as well as a charming classmate. She possesses wavy, brown hair and a sweet smile which are the envy of her friends. Her qualities of leadership and her sincerity will place her within easy reach of her goal. Keep up the good work, "Stiney" we're rooting for you.

Academic Course; Gym Club, 1; Glee Club, 1, 2, 3; First Aid, 2; Telephonist, 2; Alpha Delta Pi, 3, 4; Business Manager of Clairian.

SETLOCK, ANN
SHAPBELL, JUNE
STEBNICKI, ELEANORE

SETLOCK, EDWARD
SISKO, MILDRED
STECH, KIPRON

KIPRON STECH "Kip"

"From care I am free."

Meet the most care-free boy in the class of '45. Cheerfulness and good nature submerge all serious thought. He enjoys sports and is popular among his schoolmates. We do not know his plans but we wish him success.

Academic Course; Athletic Club, 1; Prom Committee, 3; Glee Club, 1, 2, 3, 4.

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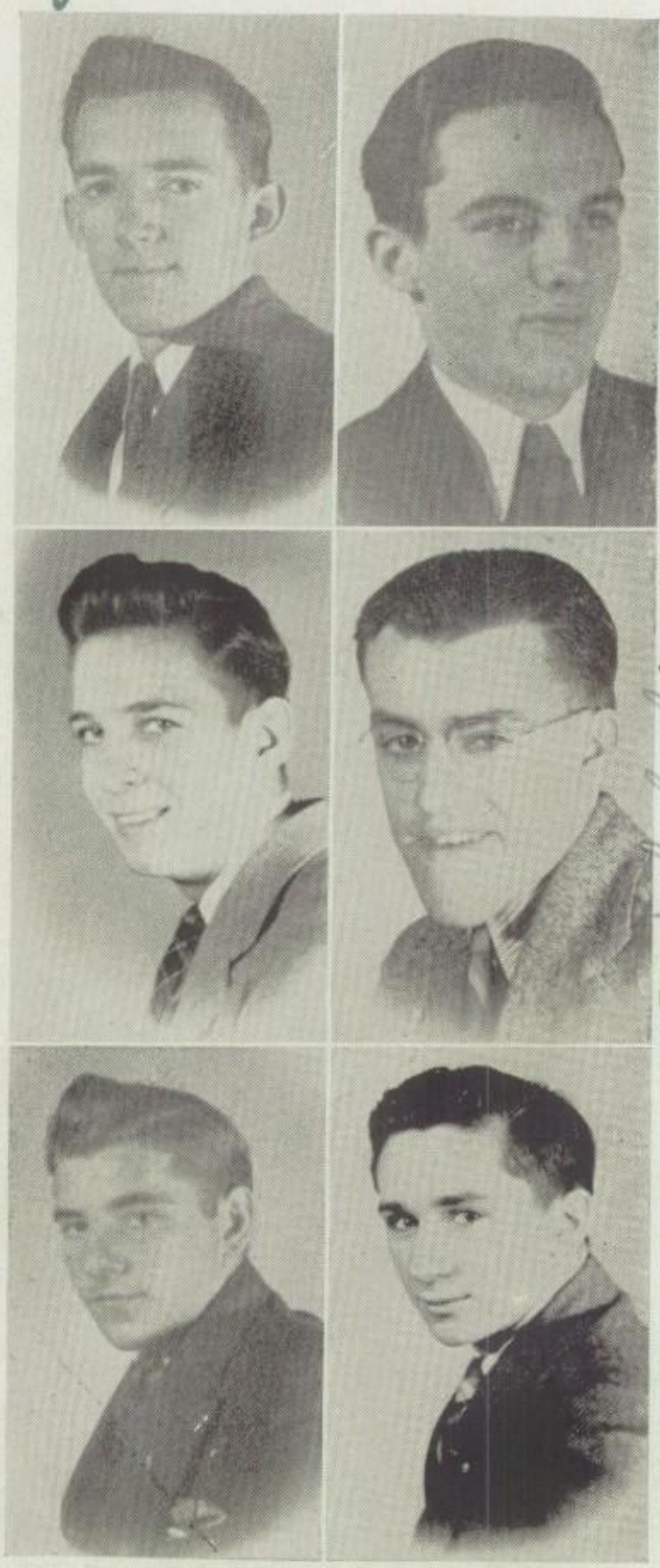


THOMAS, PAUL
TIROLA, JOHN
TURNITSA, JOSEPH

TIERNEY, JOHN
TOKARICK, EDWARD
WAPINSKY, CLEMENT

PAUL THOMAS "Pelo"

"The man who seeks one thing in life and but one,
May hope to achieve it before life is done."

"Pelo" shines as an athlete. One of the stalwarts of our line, he excels in football. His deep laugh and pleasant good-fellowship make him a desirable companion, and we feel he will distinguish himself in the future.

General Course; Football Club, 1, 2; Football Manager; Football, 3, 4.

JOHN TIERNEY "Jere"

"Gentle of speech, beneficent of mind."

Quiet and unassuming, "Jere" has a good word for everyone. We may describe him as happy-go-lucky. He is interested in all the activities of the school. We hope he will prosper in whatever he decides to do.

Academic Course; Sports Club, 1, 2.

JOHN TIROLA "Zom"

"Diligence has its own reward."

John, a popular member of our class, supports every school activity. His hobbies are sports and dancing. He has not divulged his future plans, but he has our best wishes for his success in whatever activity he chooses to follow.

Academic Course; Athletic Club, 1; Band, 1, 2; Basketball, 4.

EDWARD TOKARICK "Tucker"

"Where there's music there can be no harm."

"Tucker," an outstanding musician of the class, provides entertainment for the school at all the social functions. He is a distinct credit to the band and the orchestra. Our wish is that he will develop his talent for music and thereby find much satisfaction and pleasure.

General Course; Band, 1, 2, 3, 4; Orchestra, 3, 4; Glee Club, 2; Student Council, 3; Prom Committee; Business Staff.

JOSEPH TURNITSA "Joe"

"Merit is sure to rise."

"Joe" hailed from Diener's Hill, however, he made the journey to school with exceptional punctuality. Apparently somewhat reserved, he was jolly and friendly among his friends. "Joe" left us in January to serve his country. Our best wishes for his safety are constantly with him. Good Luck.

General Course; Airplane Club, 1; Athletic Club, 1.

CLEMENT WAPINSKY "Clem"

"It is more noble to make yourself great than to be born so."

"Clem" can be described most accurately as a "three letter man", having participated superbly during his high school career in all sports—football, basketball, and baseball. We hope that his success in athletics will be repeated or surpassed in his life work.

Academic Course; Football Club, 1; First Aid, 2; Airplane Club, 2; Football, 2, 3, 4; Basketball, 2, 3, 4; Baseball, 2, 3, 4; Alpha Delta Pi, 3, 4.

ROBERT WEAVER "Doc"

"There is no royal road to learning."

Although quiet and reserved, "Doc" is a sincere and an industrious student. His keen sense of humor and his cooperative spirit have attracted a large circle of friends. After graduation he will continue his education in the field of medicine. That success may crown his efforts is our fervent wish.

Academic Course; Athletic Club, 1; Glee Club, 2, 3; Prom Committee; Alpha Delta Pi, 3, 4; Literary Staff.

JOSEPH WEBB "Joe"

"Great hopes make great men."

"Joe" is our reserved but always dependable Commercial student from Wadesville. Keenly interested in sport, he has contributed his time and effort to both basketball and baseball in which he ranks with the best. His industry and fine personality will lead him to great achievement.

Commercial Course; Baseball, 2, 3, 4; Basketball, 4; Business Training, 3, 4; Literary Staff.

CARL WELLER "Carl"

"All nature is but art to thee."

Behold our class artist to whom we are indebted for the artistic contributions to the Clairian. His quiet, gentlemanly manners have won him many friends. The development of his talent will place him high in the realm of art. We are shouting for you, Carl.

General Course; Clairian Artist.

HARRIET WELLER "Harriet"

"Fine manners are the mantle of fair minds."

Although quiet and reserved, Harriet possesses charming manners and a wonderful sense of humor. A diligent worker, she is gifted with a sense of responsibility that will lead to success. Her hobby is collecting photographs. May all her dreams come true.

General Course; Home Nursing, 2; Telephonist, 2; Glee Club, 1, 2, 4.

WILLIAM WOLFF "Billy"

"Football, basketball, baseball,
He is, indeed, champion of all."

"Billy," our football captain, has earned an enviable reputation as an athlete. In addition he has contributed much to the success of our high school music organizations. He has participated in all our social affairs. Best wishes are extended to him as a staunch supporter of the school.

General Course; Band, 1, 2, 3, 4; Orchestra, 1, 2, 3, 4; Football, 1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball, 1, 2, 3, 4; Baseball, 1, 2, 3, 4; Glee Club, 2, 3; Sports Club, 1, 2; Student Council, 2, 3; Prom Committee; Business Staff.

EDWARD YANECK "Slim"

"Step after step success is attained."

"Slim" is the tallest member of our class. As an athlete he has won considerable success in baseball and basketball. He is a popular member of his class and is interested in all the school activities. His outstanding sportsmanship should win success in his future career.

General Course; Athletic Club, 1; Basketball, 2, 3, 4; Baseball, 2, 3, 4.

WEAVER, ROBERT
WELLER, CARL
WOLFF, WILLIAM

WEBB, JOSEPH
WELLER, HARRIET
YANECK, EDWARD

ZUBAR, JOHN

ZUKIS, ANN

JOHN ZUBAR — "Angus"

"He's merry, he's jolly,
We like him, by golly."

"Angus" is the live wire of our class, as he has a keen sense of humor. A diligent student, he takes his work seriously. He is well-liked by everyone. John has enlisted in the Service of the United States Navy. Your class salutes you. Best wishes.

Academic Course; Athletic Club, 1; Glee Club, 3, 4; Alpha Delta Pi, 3, 4; Class Secretary, 3, 4; Business Staff.

ANN ZUKIS — "Zeke"

"She is all sweetness and light."

Combine a sweet disposition with diligence and cheerfulness, add a dash of charm and a bit of humor—and you have "Zeke." She is a very neat dresser and makes an ideal skirt and sweater girl. Her quiet manner has reserved her a large place in the esteem of her classmates.

Academic Course; Sewing Club, 1; First Aid, 2; Telephonist, 2; Alpha Delta Pi, 3, 4.

CLASS SONG

Tune: Till Then

Farewell, we've come to bid you adieu.
Farewell, fond memories we'll take of you,
St. Clair, with pride from night till the dawn,
Then we'll go on.

Thru life your teachings we'll not forget,
St. Clair, to you we'll always be true;
And when the burdens of life are met,
We'll think of you.

And tho' there are many who did leave
Their honored old "Red and Blue"
May God bless and keep them everyone
Who vowed not to rest till victory is won.

So now, with dreams of future success,
We leave with courage and happiness;
To you, our school, we cherish so high
We say Good-Bye.

CARL WELLER (*Artist*)

The Honor Roll of Class of 1945

JAMES BURNS	*Navy*	GAVITT GOULD	*Navy*
EDWARD CONNORS	*Navy*	RUSSELL READING	*Navy*
ALAN CRAWSHAW	*Navy*	EDWARD SETLOCK	*Navy*
EDWARD CRAWSHAW	*Navy*	JOSEPH TURNITSA	*Navy*
ADAM GIEMZA	*Navy*	JOHN ZUBAR	*Navy*

It is with pride that we list the names of our brave classmates who have gone forth to serve our country. We wish them God speed and hope for their safe return in the not too distant future.

Left to Right: David Resavage, Vice President; Joseph Shandor, President; Anna Marie Cummings, Secretary; Edward Shaeffer, Treasurer.

Class of 1946

OFFICERS

President	Joseph Shandor
Vice President	Fenton Resavage
Secretary	Anna Marie Cummings
Treasurer	Edward Shaeffer

Class Motto: Live to Learn and Learn to Live

Class Flower: Tea Rose

Class Colors: Blue and Gold

Advisors: Miss Esther Botzer and Mr. John Reese

In September, 1944, as Juniors, we attained another achievement for our class—another step toward our aim in Saint Clair High School. The past three years we were enthusiastic not only in our daily routine, but also in the extra curricular activities of the school, proudly distinguishing ourselves in all affairs—scholastic, athletic, and social.

The event of the year was the Junior Prom, held on Christmas night. The auditorium was attractively decorated in evergreens and snow, overshadowed by blue light, presenting a most beautiful out door winter scene.

The music was provided by Ken Brown's Orchestra. Much credit for the success of the Prom is due to the sponsors, Miss Botzer and Mr. Reese, and the Committee.

As we face our last mile post, we are happy to say that we have tried to follow our motto, "Live to Learn and Learn to Live," which will continue to guide us until we reach our goal.

Good luck to a Com-Mate. classmate lot of happiness in the future. "Vince"

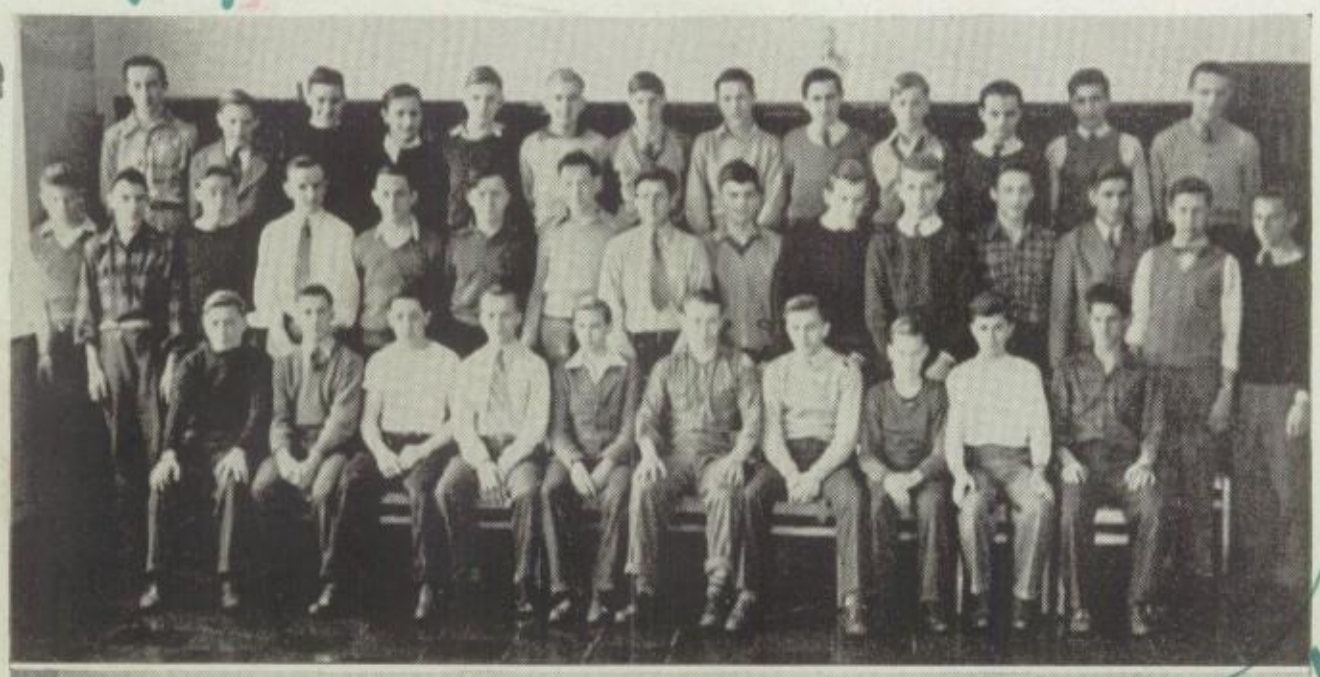
FRONT ROW: *Left to Right:* Roy Barnes, Michael Fesko, Leo Brady, Thomas Stevens, Fenton Resavage, Eugene Uhrin, Charles Maley, Andrew Pushcarovich, Harry Procak, Norman McMullen. SECOND ROW: Ronald Weiss, Joseph Miklochik, Edward Sheaffer, John Purcell, John Sakmari, John Kadingo, Joseph Shandor, Jerome Brady, Peter Plefka, Vincent Yutko. BACK ROW: Joseph Metroka, Reese Goodman, John Pogash, Dan Starvetsky, Francis McCarthy, Donald Robertson, John Antolosky, Edward Caya, George Huzway.

FRONT ROW: *Left to Right:* Ruth Price, Mary F. Baker, Margaret Flanagan, Anna Marie Cummings, Jeanette Hughes, Jule Ann Miller, Diane Delp, Anna Timko, Margaret Metroka, Francis Wapinsky. SECOND ROW: Anthony Romans, Claude Heilenmann, Charles Buchanan, Eleanor Pomian, Dolores Homa, Helen Kustan, Rita Fitz, Anna Ondo, Theresa Bumbak, Alice Stabingas, John Reese, Robert Wellner, Albert Davis. THIRD ROW—J. Covach, R. McCormick, Emil Feryo, John Salata, Michael Pastuschick, Charles Fedornak, Steve Macola, Joseph Romanko, Eugene Salem, John Mansell.

FRONT ROW: *Left to Right:* Helen Kuptcha, Elsie Tomko, Marion Brennan, Betty Rubright, Dolores Parsick, Dorothy Simsic, Edna Hablett, Rose Marie Kressell, Josephine Selosky, Theresa Donlin. SECOND ROW: Andrew Horbal, Russell Malinak, Rosalie Winisko, Theresa Fenedick, Ethel Kurdy, Jean Peters, Mary Horwat, Gilda Klein, Justine Zulick, Patricia Dodds, Mary Petlansky, Helen Godzak, Gloria Mozloom, Andrew Selinsky, Audrey Quirin, John Mistishyn. THIRD ROW: Nicholas Drahuschak, Charles Corby, Joseph Leone, Michael Urenko, Joseph Blahosky, William Parker, Joseph Frantz, Michael Krolic, George Yakumavage, Russell Trout.

Best of Luck and Success in the future Johnnie Mestishin

Best of luck and success in your years to come and a great Com-Mate Student Joe Blahosky



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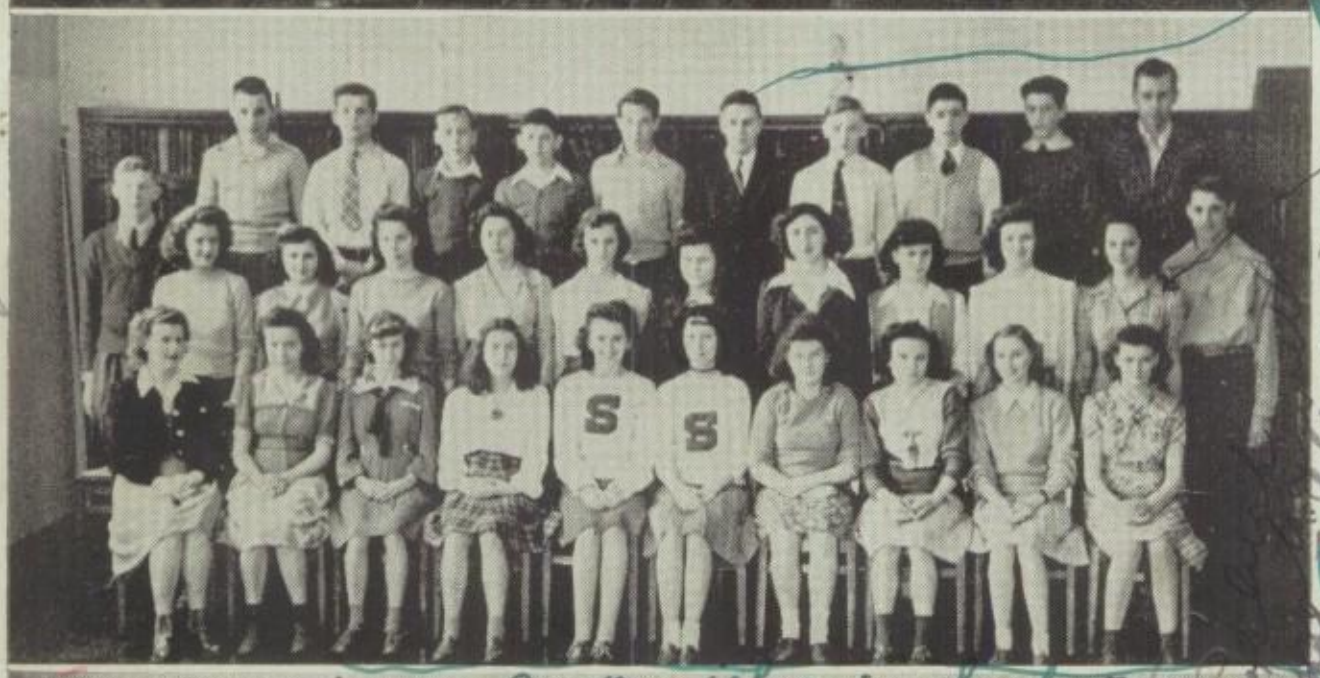

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Class of 1947

OFFICERS

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Class Motto: Be Rugged Though The Road Be Rough
Class Flower: White Rose
Class Colors: Maroon and White
Advisors: Miss Phoebe Evans and Mr. Francis Welker

We, the Class of 1947, held our first meeting October 13, 1944, to elect our officers for the year 1944-1945. We have met with some changes in the curriculum. During our Freshman year, Mr. Sterner, our Health and Gym teacher, as well as our Basketball Coach, was granted a leave of absence early in the term. Mr. Welker assumed the duties of Basketball Coach for the remainder of the term. This year Mr. Reese has taken over Mr. Sterner's work and Mrs. Wagner is our new History and Civics teacher. We miss the cheerful presence of Miss Ray.

We have participated in all school functions, and cooperated in all school activities. Our greatest pleasure was entertaining the student body by presenting a play entitled, "Spreading The News."

As Sophomores, we have had much happiness, and we are looking forward to an eventful Junior year. As we strive toward success, we shall ever keep in mind our motto—"Be Rugged Though The Road Be Rough."

John Laurie, Vice President; Norma Reading, President; (standing) Robert Romans, Secretary; Kenneth Kostrey, Treasurer.

Class of 1948

OFFICERS

President	Norma Reading
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Class Motto: Today we follow, tomorrow we lead

Class Colors: Blue and Gold

Class Flower: Tea Rose

Advisors: Miss Mary McGarrity and Mr. Michael Stranko

In the autumn of '44, proud, indeed, was the Freshman Class as it joined the distinguished members of Saint Clair High School.

Although in a new environment, the Student Council did much to acquaint us with our fellow students and teachers. We wish to express our gratitude to Mr. Evans and the Student Council for the school dance, held in our honor, at which friendliness and hospitality prevailed.

Our motto, "Today we follow, tomorrow we lead," is a reminder of the gigantic task we have before us. Eagerly anticipating the winning of the war and the peace to follow, we recognize, vaguely, the importance of the problems involved, and the necessary clear thinking to solve them. May we so apply ourselves to study during these four years that when our leadership is required, we, as good American citizens, shall be prepared, ably, to assume our responsibility.

Therefore, we pledge loyalty to our school, our community, and our country, in our effort to build, in our own small way, the America of the future.

FRONT ROW: *Left to Right:* John Hillman, Sergius Kuharsky, Francis Kundrack, John Laurie, George Homa, Gerald Feryo, Leo Wellner, Joseph Stencovage, William Keffer, Francis Markus. MIDDLE ROW: John Barry, Michael Cheripka, Michael Papinchak, Andrew Lutzkanin, Kenneth Mettam, James Kellagher, John Stednitz, Michael Mihalsky, John Kanish, John Rennick. BACK ROW: Joseph Monahan, Bernard Bramley, Stephen Pogash, John Snitzer, Emil Tomko, David Ossman.

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Best wishes to a very nice girl. "Red"

FRONT ROW: *Left to Right:* Kenneth Kostrey, James Hess, Edward Resavage, James Rosenberger, William Haslam, Thomas Mahoney, Robert Roman, Francis Doyle, George Gateley, John Craig. BACK ROW: Thomas Cummings, Paul Buroran, Joseph Corby, Francis McCormick, William Dukmen, James Manion, Robert Grace, Robert Kull, Norman Frantz.

Best of luck to you in your future years. Dot K.

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Name	*Favorite Facial Expression*	*Loves*	*Can't*	*Favorite Song*
Anna Barlas	dreamy	Charm Hour	miss a school dance	This Love of Mine
Dorothy Barnes	bashful	typing	stop blushing	Fellow on a Furlough
Eileen Barry	charming	parlor football	resist dancing	Together
James Bloxham	jovial	Glenn Miller's music	swim	Moonlight and Roses
Walter Boris	sleepy	El Ropoes	leave the car shops	I'll Get By
Theresa Brady	blissful	to be different	miss a "Y" dance	When Irish Eyes Are Smiling
Charles Breslin	thoughtful	physics	stop experimenting	Mrs. Murphy's Chowder
David Buchanan	good-looking	a good time	stop teasing girls	Till Then
Andrew Bumbak	mischievous	Reader's Digest	see another's point of view	Don't Fence Me In
Jane Burke	sweet	the latest songs	stop smiling	Good Night Wherever You Are
James Burns	confident	to sleep	jitterbug	I'm Getting Tired So I Can Sleep
Helen Chacko	serene	the movies	make enemies	Here Comes The Navy
Jean Chaplick	alert	Christmas	stop chewing gum	I'll See You In My Dreams
Edward Connors	hopeful	school dances	work in a crowd	Making Believe
Alan Crawshaw	misleading	photography	take pictures	Let's All Sing Like The Birdies Sing
Edward Crawshaw	satisfied	sports	keep a secret	Dearly Beloved
Joseph Daley	modest	his studies (?)	write poetry	I Dream of You
George Davis	doubtful	poetry	sit still	Elmer's Tune
James Davis	contemplative	to drive a trailer	stop arguing	Jim
Rose DeMarkis	self-controlled	to sing	be serious	Have I Stayed Away Too Long
Helen Dikun	merry	ice skating	stop dancing	Begin The Beguine
Mildred Dodds	breezy	to ride in cars	go home early	Always
Helen Dormer	dignified	football games	miss a basketball game	Wolf Polka
Nancy Draovitch	stunned	Frackville	stay home	Billy Boy
George Fesko	serious	New York	meet enough blondes	Swinging on a Star
Nancy Flannery	glamorous	to take walks	cut her hair	As Time Goes By
Mary Friga	sympathetic	to make friends	stop being nice	Anniversary Waltz
Adam Giemza	determined	The Plymouth	keep the girls away	Don't Ever Change
Mary Gondorchin	studious	Commercial work	make low grades	Tales of the Vienna Woods
Gavitt Gould	impish	nonsense	get cigarettes	Tonight We Love
June Gustitus	eager	to slam lockers	stop laughing	It Had To Be You
Margaret Hebor	conservative	to sing	walk to school	There Goes That Song Again
Mary Lois Hentz	concerned	Frank Sinatra	make up her mind	I'll Be Seeing You
Frances Herchak	vivacious	to tat	be seen without Ann	Magic is the Moonlight
Naomi Hillman	bashful	Spanish	be punctual	Soldier's Last Letter
Violet Horoschak	changeable	to polka	be moody	Moonlight Becomes You
Michael Hresko	tired	to tantalize	keep quiet	Dark Eyes
George Jurick	confident	play billiards	be controlled	Night and Day
Joseph Kalyan	teasing	Diener's Hill	stop joking	Rum and Coca Cola
Francis Keffer	innocent	pigeons	do Spanish	The White Cliffs of Dover
Lillian Kellagher	pre-occupied	to daydream	boil water	I'm in the Mood for Love
Elizabeth Kelly	good-natured	to play her violin	keep her shoes on	Let Me Love You Tonight
Alberta Kidurkis	pleasant	to have fun	stop teasing	Whispering
Ann Klein	demure	to meet new boys	speak in a loud voice	Sweet and Lovely
Dorothy Klemer	shy	to get letters	forget Conn.	Long Ago and Far Away
Albert Knezo	staid	to avoid work	smoke	Tico-Tico

Name	*Favorite Facial Expression*	*Loves*	*Can't*	*Favorite Song*
Anne Kostrey	captivating	roller skating	look untidy	Like Someone In Love
Michael Kostrey	handsome	to walk	dance	Memories
Stephen Kovach	merry	Morris Street	get any taller	Street of Dreams
Catherine Kuharsky	happy	French	be stubborn	American Patrol
Michael Kundrack	optimistic	everybody	be discouraged	Evalina
Thomas Kurtek	earnest	Slovak Hill	finish "Trig"	Mexicali Rose
Renee Lightstone	capable	to meditate	waste time	Magic Is the Moonlight
Roy Lishman	obliging	shorthand	miss classes	My Dreams Are Getting Better
Leonard Lizak	smiling	Trig class	stop saying "Yo Babe"	Aloueta
John Macko	reserved	school	understand girls	Desert Song
Clarence Markus	apprehensive	Shoentown	sing a note	Blues In the Night
Michael Melnic	worried	feminine society	stay away from Morris Street	Swinging Door
Margaret Nauncikas	moody	pretty clothes	decide	There Goes That Song Again
John Peters	surprised	girls	do enough flying	Army Air Corp
Eleanor Petlansky	angelic	to go for rides	be rude	Making Believe
Marie Polik	sedate	to tease	stop singing	Let The Rest of the World Go By
Eleanor Powell	amused	to go out with the gang	be unfriendly	My Shining Hour
Andrew Premich	devilish	to flirt	hate women	Two O'Clock Jump
Helen Pushcarovich	sophisticated	music	gain weight	Story of a Starry Night
Frank Raus	gay	redheads	concentrate	The Lamp-lighter Serenade
Esther Reading	amiable	sailors	overwork	Goodnight, Sweet Dreams
Russell Reading	reserved	to skate	be loud	Once in a While
Alger Reese	perplexed	a cheerleader	hurry	Wishing
Justine Sakmari	jolly	ships at sea	keep still	I'm Confessing
Margaret Schuster	care-free	boys	be sensible	Beautiful Dreamer
Frances Selinko	unconcerned	dancing	get angry	Don't Get Around Much Any More
Ann Setlock	pensive	Marine Corps	learn to jitterbug	Star Eyes
Edward Setlock	exuberant	to tell jokes	act dignified	Pennsylvania Polka
June Shapbell	placid	to play the piano?	be mischievous	An Hour Never Passes
Mildred Sisko	solemn	to read	behave	Paper Doll
Eleanor Stebnicki	saucy	to argue	flunk Math	The Very Thought of You
Kipron Stech	bewildered	noise	stay out of trouble	Dear Mom
Paul Thomas	peaceful	football	bother with girls	Stardust
John Tierney	critical	to sing	carry matches	The Trolley Song
John Tirola	grinning	to draw pretty girls	worry about a test	Deep In The Heart Of Texas
Edward Tokarick	sober	his trumpet	be busy	Carnival Of Venice
Joseph Turnitsa	sincere	Navy	shoot pool	I'll Be Seeing You
Clement Wapinsky	misunderstood	Zip's	go to Phila. often enough	Mandy
Robert Weaver	meek	bowling	be heard	Street of Regret
Joseph Webb	content	baseball	bat a thousand	Cocktails For Two
Carl Weller	radiant	drawing	do without food	Flight of the Bumble Bee
Harriet Weller	puzzled	fun	be noisy	You'll Never Know
William Wolff	peppy	sports	be prompt	My Buddy
Edward Yaneck	untroubled	basketball	like girls	Mr. Five By Five
John Zubar	humorous	to be a professor	let his hair grow	Helena Polka
Ann Zukis	nonchalant	to write letters	hurt anyone's feelings	Anchors Aweigh

To Honor the Class of 1944

Greetings

Because of the shortage in materials and man power, due to military activities, it was deemed expedient, this past year, to discontinue the publication of "The Clairian."

In this group, we have many friends whose countenances recall myriads of fond memories and associations.

Therefore, to preserve the memory of many happy days spent together in Saint Clair High School, we have included in our Year Book, with our best wishes, the picture of The Class of '44.

Senior Surprises ! ! ! ! ! !

The Township girls would like to buy a bus!
Lillian Kellagher looks well in purple!
Dorothy Klemer is sensitive!
Leonard Lizak likes an argument!
Jean Chaplick makes delicious cookies!
Robert Weaver once weighed ninety-nine pounds!
Mary Friga loses her temper occasionally!
Ann Setlock likes peanuts!
Catherine Kuharsky speaks French well!
Adam Giemza is a frequent attendant at the Globe!
Margaret Hebor dislikes sweets!
Joe Turnitsa has a way with girls!
Margaret Nauncikas is sentimental!
Paul Thomas hates to shave!
Violet Horoschak has an interest in Pottsville!
John Tierney hopes to be a mailman!
Carl Weller is a fine chess player!
James Davis wishes to be an airplane pilot!
Marie Polik is a blues singer!
John Zubar is a boxer!
Betty Kelly learned to typewrite!
Rose DeMarkis plays a guitar!
Kipron Stech plans to settle down!
Eleanor Stebnicki can't learn to whistle!
Michael Kostrey anticipates adventure!
Jane Burke is an experienced saleslady!
Charles Breslin intends to become Einstein's aide!
Nancy Draovitch has a beautiful soprano voice!
Thomas Kurtek drives a delivery truck!
Helen Dormer loves her Daddy only!
David Buchanan's pet name is Black Bruce!
Jack Peters has a pass to the movies!
Clement Wapinsky likes Minersville!
Mary Gondorchin is a chatterbox!
Lois Mary Hentz would like to be a reporter!
Joe Webb is not really bashful!
Eileen Barry can walk fast!
Theresa Brady laughs so hard she cries!
Renee Lightstone is not always in a hurry!
Mildred Dodds is fond of the Home Maid!
Nancy Flannery drives a car!
June Gustitus often visits New York!
William Wolff prefers the farther view in the cinema!
Esther Reading is the class impersonator!
Clarence Markus sounds like Charles Boyer!
Eleanor Powell doesn't like to be teased about her name!
Russell Reading was a former Capitol usher!
Anne Zukis hoards her letters!
Thomas Kurtek is an accomplished musician!
Margaret Schuster prefers underclassmen!
Alan Crawshaw smokes a pipe!
Alger Reese cheers the cheerleaders!
John Tirola never ceases talking!

Harriet Weller has a pet turtle named Pat!
Frank Raus has a favorite expression—"Bon Jour"!
Joe Daley is a man about town!
Gavitt Gould's first name is Roland!
Ann Barlas enjoys classical music!
Michael Kundrack likes to make experiments!
James Bloxham and Edward Connors would like to be movie stars!
Helen Pushcarovich is sophisticated!
Justine Sakmari admires the Army and the Navy!

The Flight of Time

September 15—Football, Pottsville
September 21—School Dance
September 22—Football, Minersville
September 29—School Dance
September 30—Football, East Mahanoy Township

October 2—Assembly, Edwin M. Steckel
October 7—Football, Nesquehoning
October 13—School Dance
October 16—Football, Schuylkill Haven
October 20—School Dance
October 23—Football, West Mahanoy Township
October 27—Assembly-Hallowe'en Program
October 27—Hallowe'en Dance
October 28—Football, Ashland

November 2—Football, Frackville
November 10—Assembly, Armistice Day Program
November 10—School Dance
November 22—Assembly—Thanksgiving Day Program
November 22—School Dance

December 4—Assembly—Howard Cleaves
December 5—Basketball, Schuylkill Haven
December 8—Basketball, Schuylkill Haven
December 12—Basketball, Port Carbon
December 14—School Dance
December 15—Basketball, Port Carbon
December 22—Assembly—Christmas Program
December 25—Junior Prom
December 27—Basketball, Pottsville

January 5—Basketball, Frackville
January 9—Basketball, Gilberton
January 11—School Dance
January 12—Basketball, Butler Township
January 16—Basketball, West Mahanoy Township
January 18—School Dance
January 19—Basketball, East Mahanoy Township
January 23—Basketball, Girardville
January 25—School Dance
January 26—Basketball, Ashland

February 1—Basketball, Frackville
February 6—Basketball, Gilberton
February 7—School Dance
February 9—Basketball, Butler Township
February 13—Basketball, West Mahanoy Township
February 16—Basketball, East Mahanoy Township
February 17—School Dance
February 19—Basketball, Ashland
February 20—Basketball, Girardville
February 21—Assembly—Washington's Birthday
February 25—Basketball, Cass Township

March 23—Assembly—International Revue
March 28—Assembly—Easter Program

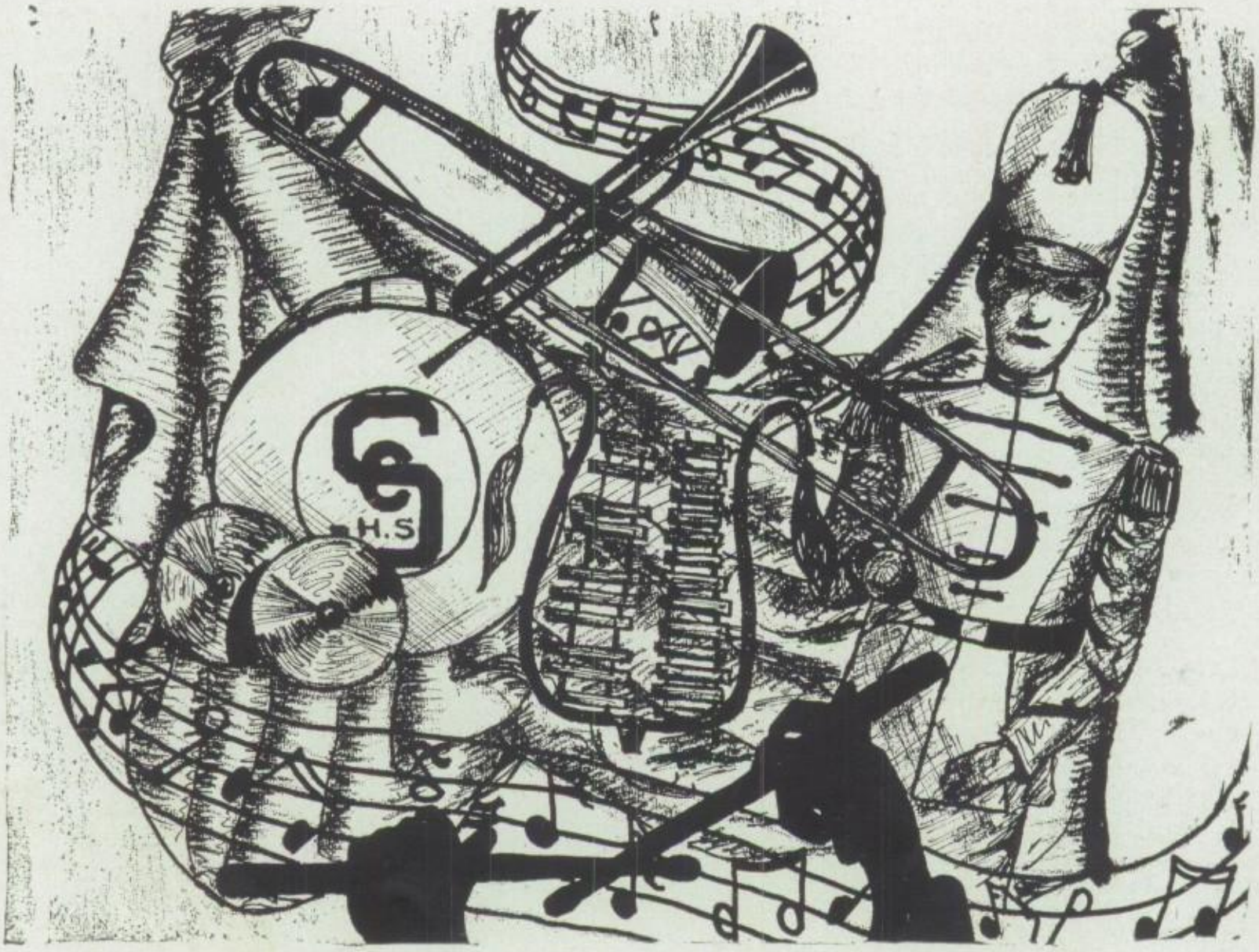
April 13—School Dance
April 20—Assembly—Music Groups
April 27—School Dance

May 4—School Dance
May 9—Assembly—John Sloan
May 18—Spring Formal

June 3—Baccalaureate
June 4—Eighth Grade Commencement
June 5—Class Day
June 6—Commencement

Activities

Responsibilities develop determination,
self reliance, and leadership.



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The "Clairian," the Year Book of the Saint Clair High School, is prized by every graduate and student as the means which will keep alive treasured memories of the past four years.

Too well we realize the havoc of war, and keenly do we feel the loss of our loved ones.

Therefore, though our paths shall lead in many directions, yet, as we turn the pages of the "Clairian," we can center our thought on beautiful friendships and lovely experiences enjoyed within the walls of beloved Saint Clair High School.

FRONT ROW: *Left to Right:* Mary Friga, Catherine Kuharsky, Miss Katherine Beck, Lillian Kellagher, Helen Pushcarovich, Anne Barlas, Lois Mary Hentz. SECOND ROW: Robert Weaver, Carl Weller, James Bloxham, Eleanor Powell, Helen Dormer, Ann Setlock, Jane Burke, James Burns, David Buchanan, Joseph Webb.

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The members of the Business Staff have gratefully given up long hours of their time preparing business contracts and interviews, in order that Ads, the main means of financing the book, may be solicited.

It is, therefore, through the concentrated efforts of all departments, that we proudly present, for your pleasure and enjoyment, the 1945 issue of the "Clairian."

The Class of "1945" especially gives credit to Miss Katherine M. Beck and Mr. Thomas L. Jennings, who devoted valuable time in order to make this book possible.

SEATED: *Left to Right:* Mary Gondorchin, Theresa Brady, T. L. Jennings, Eleanor Stebenicki, Renee Lightstone, Nancy Flannery, Violet Horoschak. STANDING: Thomas Kurtek, Steve Kovach, Gavitt Gould, John Zubar, Michael Kostrey, Justine Sakamari, Anne Kostrey, Helen Dikun, Jean Chaplick, Edward Tokarick, Adam Giemza, John Peters, Charles Breslin.

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The Business Training Club has for its object, "the promotion of the interests, welfare and standards of the commercial students." Since its formation in 1927 it has always been one of the most active organizations in the school. The social and scholastic activities it has sponsored have been high lights in the school life of the boys and girls of the Commercial Department.

We are grateful to our advisor, Mrs. Sinton, for her kind assistance in aiding us to keep up the good record of the club, and in guiding us so that we might further our social and commercial interests.

FRONT ROW: *Left to Right:* (Esther Reading, non-member), Nancy Draovitch, Ann Kostrey, Roy Lishman, Edward Connors, Edward Crawshaw, Joseph Webb, Renee Lightstone, Mary Gondorchin. BACK ROW: Marie Polik, Lois Hentz, Dorothy Klemer, Helen Dikun, Frances Selinko, Mildred Sisko, Dorothy Barnes, Mary Friga, Eleanor Petlansky.

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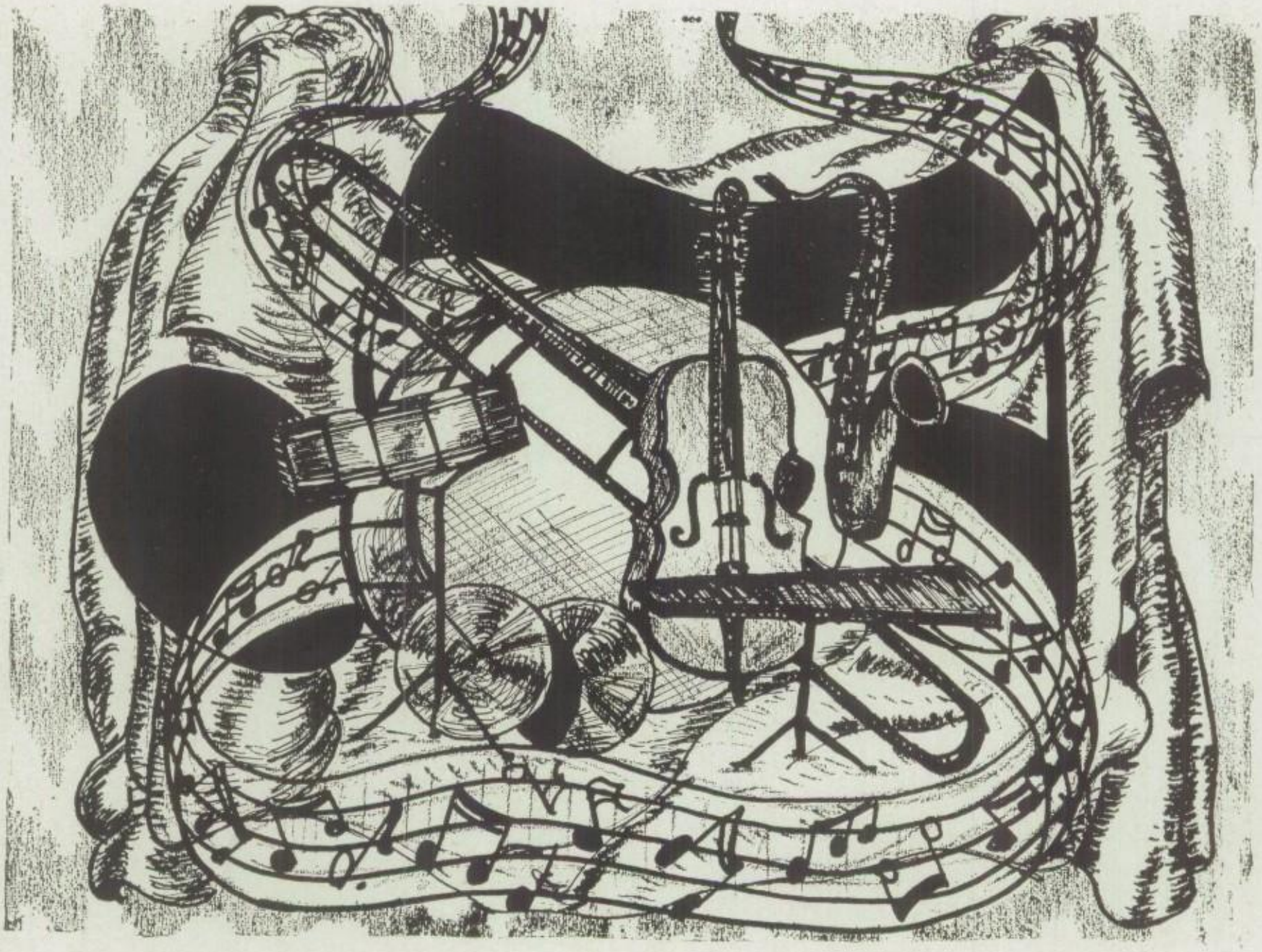
This honorary mathematical fraternity was founded October 27, 1932, by Miss Phoebe C. Evans, for the purpose of stimulating interest in Mathematics, for promoting general scholarship, and as an incentive for raising the standards of high school students.

Membership is granted to the upperclassmen who have attained an average of 85% in Mathematics. Those eligible are initiated and become full pledged members. The membership now consists of 370 members.

At the end of each year Alpha Delta Pi gives an award to the member receiving the highest average in Mathematics. The recipient last year was Daniel Dashifsky.

Alpha Delta Pi



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Band and Orchestra

PERSONNEL: Edward Tokarick, Billy Wolff, Dolores Cossick, Jos. Trusow, Billy Shapbell, Wayne Cookson, Teddy Foster, Alfred Roberts, Edward Orlowsky, Thomas Cummings, John Breslin, Jule Ann Miller, Helen Krisok, Connie Kanish, Jean Yankosky, Michael Cheripka, Rita Fitz, Jean Peters, T. L. Jennings.

The Band and Orchestra, under the direction of Professor Thomas L. Jennings, has completed another successful year. This success was accomplished by the cooperation of all members connected with both organizations.

The Band, especially, has heaped high praise upon itself through its successful showing at the basketball games, performing different stunts for each game.

A new addition to the Band this year was the Twirlers, who, along with the Drum Major and Majorettes, helped toward the success of the Band.

The Orchestra, although not quite as active as the Band, has also done its share to heap praises on the Instrumental Music Department. Its main activity is the providing of music for Class Night and Commencement. For several years the Orchestra has been taking part in the Commencement exercises of New Castle Junior High School, where they were received with great pleasure.

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Glee Clubs

As a source of delightful entertainment the Glee Clubs are very important in our High School. The huge groups of boys and girls, clad in uniform color, present a most inspiring sight, as they pour forth their melody from the Gymnasium bleachers. The tone, balance, blend, and interpretation of the varied musical numbers are evidence of painstaking and patient effort.

The Glee Clubs participate in almost all programs. As a musical background or as an interlude, the members carry over the interpretation of any theme stressed by the Assembly, whether it be religious, patriotic, fantastic, or gay. The work done by the Glee Clubs in the Christmas Pageant was most commendable. The Flag Drill, an enormous project, was very beautiful in its rhythm, unity of action, and mass of color As a salute to the boys, leaving to serve in the Armed Forces of our country, it was most effective.

The Spring Concert, presenting folksongs of many lands, and the May Day Festival are being planned with enthusiasm, and promise to be most colorful and enjoyable musical events.

Under the direction of Mrs. Emily Gibson, the Glee Clubs not only provide entertainment for the High School but also for Civic Clubs, interested in our educational welfare, as the Women's Club and the Parent Teachers Association.

During this period of strife and storm, the entire school agrees that the morale building qualities of music are important to all.

IRST ROW: *Left to Right:* Irene Chis-ar, Rose Marie Dolla, Dolores Stednitz, ita Donaldson, Betty Kelly, Mrs. Gib-on, Lillian Simsic, Betty Hughes, Jean ankosky, Dolores Schrako, Betty Fox, Mary Kalafus. SECOND ROW: Melvine ndriyaosky, Margaret Stefonick, Norma eading, Rosalie Holoviak, Anna Jones, nna Yanchick, Helen Elo, Lillian Choy-acky, Dorothy Kubich, Anna Bumbak, Mary Postushick, Grace Tipping, Marion race. THIRD ROW: Betty Lou Russel, Marion Yankosky, Jeannette Metroka, oan Pingor, Evelyn Padfield, Dorothy Motto, Mary Mikula, Mary Ann Chapos-y, Betty Fergo, Rachael Geiger, Mary ale Horan, Edith Mullins. FOURTH OW: Betty Plefka, Mildrid Granilo, atherine Heenan, Grace Toner, Thelma erdanier, Dorothy Zukis, Constance anish, Helen Sninsky, Mary Kustan, Ro-alie Snitzer, Anna Marie Haley, Jean rennan. FIFTH ROW: Mary Louise cKeon, Adelaide Juris, Mary Capko.

IRST ROW: *Left to Right:* Jule Anne iller, Theresa Bumbak, Anne Barlus, atherine Kuharsky, President — Helen ushcarovich, Secretary—Margaret Naun-ikas, Music Supervisor—Mrs. Thomas ibson, Lois Hentz, Marie Polik, Frances erchak, Helen Kustan, Frances Wapins-y, Justine Zulick. SECOND ROW: Rita itz, Alice Stabingas, Diane Delp, eanette Hughes, Helen Godzak, Helen opcha, Ruth Price, Rose Marie Kres-ell, Edna Hablett, Jean Peters, Ethel urdy, Dorothy Simisic, Marion Bren-en. THIRD ROW: Elsie Tomko, Do-ores Cossick, Elizabeth Sninsky, Mary ochnoc, Marie Matto, Pauline Fitzik, arge Bulino, Marcella Powell, Catherine owell, Gladys Webb, Irene Kurdy, Betty palenick, Julia Kovich. FOURTH OW: Dolores Parsick, Helen Krisok, etty Friga, Helen Walsh, Bernadette rennan, Dorothy Fenedick, Anne Con-ors, Sonia Drosdak, Mary Baron, Julia ollihan, Alice Chacho, Catherine Lip-haw, Emma Tomchany. FIFTH ROW: artha Dashifsky, Lydia Kuharsky, Linda ee Heilenman, Margaret Garis, Joan ray.

IRST ROW: *Left to Right:* Edward haeffer, Reese Goodman, Michael Kos-rey, Kipron Stech, Andrew Sninsky, Music Supervisor, Mrs. Thomas Gibson, Michael Melnic, James Davis, James loxham, John Pogash, Joe Shandor, Joe Metroka. SECOND ROW: Martin Ro-anko, John Timko, Francis Kundrack, oe Miklochick, Claude Heilenman, John ane, George Metroka, Andrew Push-arovich, Francis McCarthy, Andrew orbal, John Sakmari. THIRD ROW: ndrew Lutzkanin, Kenneth Metram, eorge Elo, George Homa, Sergius Ku-arsky, John Laurie, David Ossman, Michael Mihalsky, Ronald Cookson, An-rew Futchko, Charles Weber, John tech. FOURTH ROW: Kenneth Kostrey, ohn Craig, Francis Doyle, Michael apinchack, Robert Grace, William Kef-r, Joe Monahan, Donald Kerns, Charles arl, James Love, James Gregitis.

Best of luck & wishes for your success.
Johnny

Wishing you the best of everything.
Catherine

FRONT ROW: *Left to Right:* Catherine Powell, Edna Hablett, Justine Sakmari, Michael Kostrey, Diane Delp, Frances Herchak, Betty Hughes. BACK ROW: Reese Goodman, James Bloxham, Helen Kustan, Lois Hentz, Betty Fox, Margaret Gawrys, Joseph Monahan, John Watunya, John Craig.

Student Council

OFFICERS

President	HERBERT KOSTREY
Vice President	DIANE DELP
Secretary	JUSTINE SAKMARI
Treasurer	JAMES BLOXHAM

The Student Council opened the term of 1944-45 with promises for one of the best and most active years in its long reign. Plans were made to hold one or more student activities each week.

School dances were held almost every week. These dances help the students to become more friendly toward each other and to give them a spirit of cooperation.

The most important social functions this term were the Hallowe'en Masquerade Dance and the Spring Formal.

It has made great progress in fulfilling its aims to do all possible for the good of the school.

Senior Sayings

June Gustitus ..... "Tricky"
Roy Lishman ..... "My goodness"
Margaret Nauncikas ..... "Times are tough"
Michael Kostrey ..... "Take it easy"
Mildred Dodds ..... "Remind me"
John Macko ..... "Calm down"
Jane Burke ..... "Don't be silly"
David Buchanan ..... "Let's eat"
Eileen Barry ..... "Why sure"
Joseph Turnitsa ..... "Don't mess around"
Eleanor Stebnicki ..... "How are my bangs?"
James Bloxham ..... "Lauren"
Ann Klein ..... "Oh, stop it"
Andrew Bumbak ..... "The *Digest* says so"
Nancy Draovitch ..... "He reminds me"
John Peters ..... "Fly high and fast"
Alberta Kidurkis ..... "What a night!"
Robert Weaver ..... "Will you leave me alone?"
Margaret Schuster ..... "Oh, shucks"
James Davis ..... "Don't get excited"
Catherine Kuharsky ..... "Aw gwan"
Charles Breslin ..... "Add H2O"
Harriet Weller ..... "What do you know?"
Alan Crawshaw ..... "Hold it"
Mary Friga ..... "Oh! Fish!"
Alger Reese ..... "Wait 'till after"
Renee Lightstone ..... "Hi Kid"
Michael Melnic ..... *"HO! HO! HO!"*
Naomi Hillman ..... "Are you kiddin?"
Edward Yaneck ..... "What's wrong, Coach?"
Helen Dormer ..... "I don't care"
Paul Thomas ..... "It's alright"
Adam Giemza ..... "How we doing, girls?"
Helen Pushcarovich ..... "Naturally"
John Tierney ..... "Got a match?"
Lillian Kellagher ..... "Since when?"
George Jurick ..... "I should worry"
Jean Chaplick ..... "I have gum"
Edward Connors ..... "She makes me sick"
Dorothy Klemer ..... "Remember?"
Andrew Premich ..... "Ok, Bud!"
Eleanor Powell ..... "Behave!"
Edward Tokarick ..... "What you doin?"
Nancy Flannery ..... "Did you see him?"
William Wolff ..... "Oh! Sassafras!"
James Burns ..... "I'm in the money"
Carl Weller ..... "You said it"
Margaret Hebor ..... "Rain again"
Anne Barlas ..... "Going to the dance?"
June Shapbell ..... "Prove it"

ALMA MATER

WORDS
E.S. BODENHORN

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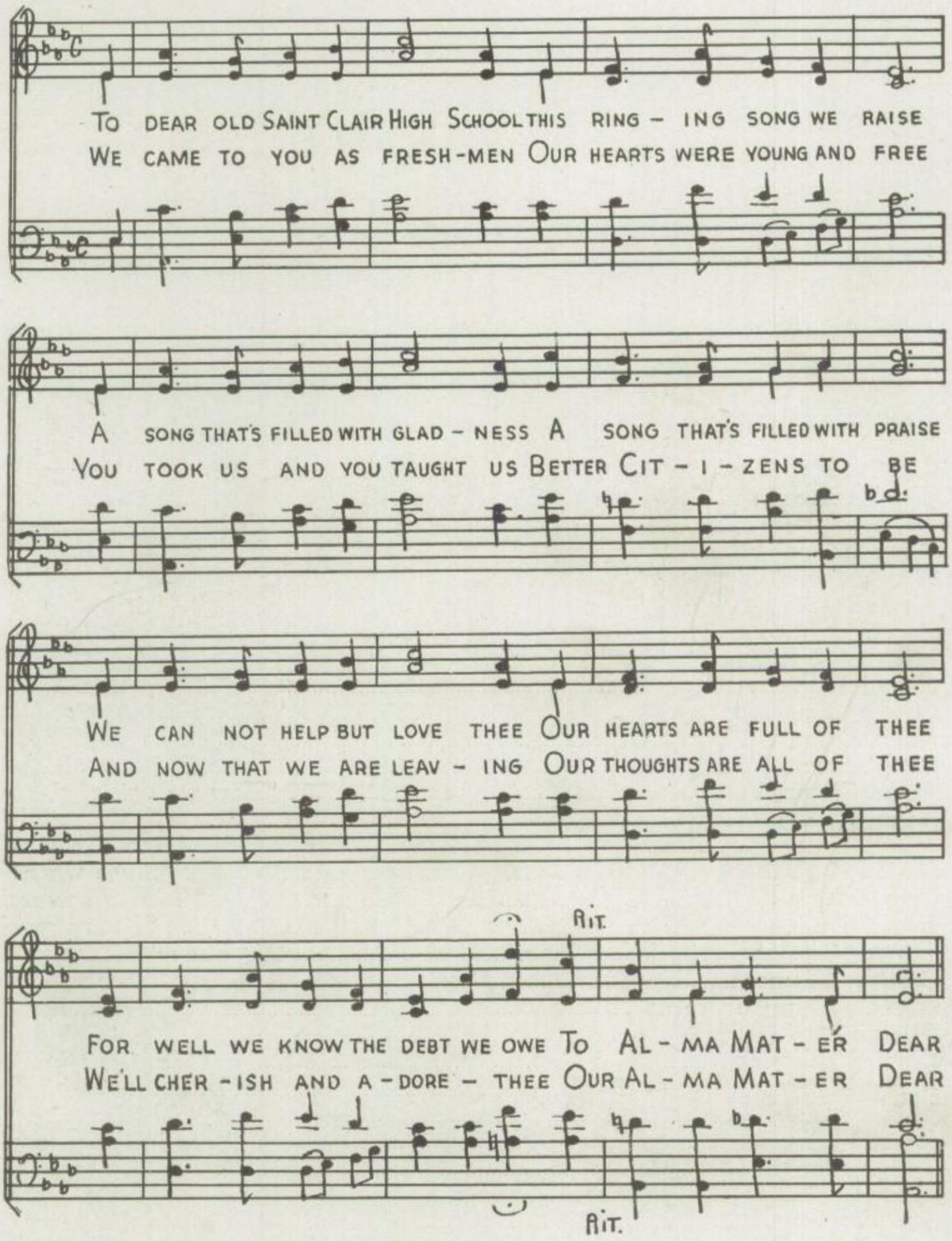
APOLOGIES TO E.A.S.


TO DEAR OLD SAINT CLAIR HIGH SCHOOL THIS RING - ING SONG WE RAISE
WE CAME TO YOU AS FRESH-MEN OUR HEARTS WERE YOUNG AND FREE
A SONG THAT'S FILLED WITH GLAD - NESS A SONG THAT'S FILLED WITH PRAISE
YOU TOOK US AND YOU TAUGHT US BETTER CIT - I - ZENS TO BE
WE CAN NOT HELP BUT LOVE THEE OUR HEARTS ARE FULL OF THEE
AND NOW THAT WE ARE LEAV - ING OUR THOUGHTS ARE ALL OF THEE
RIT.
FOR WELL WE KNOW THE DEBT WE OWE TO AL - MA MAT - ER DEAR
WE'LL CHER - ISH AND A - DORE - THEE OUR AL - MA MAT - ER DEAR
RIT.

Athletics

Health, cooperation, and fair play
are the aims.

CARL WELLER (*Artist*)

SECTION III

Football

The football season of 1944 was a rather disappointing one in the history of Saint Clair High Athletics. Three games were won while five were lost. However, in only one case did the game turn into a route, when the boys ran into a superior team. Outstanding in the backfield were William Wolff, Clem Wapinsky, Adam Giemza, and Mike Buletza, while on the line Mystishin, Thomas, Antalosky, Hresko, Schaeffer, Premich, Covach, Peters, and Johns were standouts; an unusually large number of injuries was the reason for the loss of most of the games. A large number of experienced veterans return to form the framework around which coach Stranko can build his team.

Saint Clair vs. Pottsville

Saint Clair brought its famed T-formation to Pottsville, and after a slow start, a pass from Billy Wolff, struck home as Clem Wapinsky scored all the Saint's points for the evening. It was only in the last seconds of play that Pottsville managed to eke out a victory, on a desperation pass. Outstanding in this game was the brilliant playing of Billy Wolff and Adam Giemza's thrilling chase of Pottsville's Walker Philips down the sidelines.

Saint Clair vs. Minersville

At Minersville, injuries and a heavy weight advantage told the story as Minersville won, 21-0. The loss of such players as Hresko, Peters, and Wolff could not be accounted for, for some time, and the Battling Miners triumphed over a battered team.

Saint Clair vs. East Mahanoy Township

The home fans turned out well to see Saint Clair play its only home game of the season with an injury—riddled team. In this game Saint Clair lost the services of Paul Thomas, one of the outstanding linemen of the season. In this game, Saint Clair had all the statistics in their favor, but East Mahanoy won the game when Wapinsky was hit hard behind the goal line for a safety to win 2-0.

Saint Clair vs. Nesquehoning

At Nesquehoning, Saint Clair played a valiant game against unsurmountable odds. A heavy, experienced line wore the Red and Blue down as Nesquehoning scored in every period to win 38-0. Luke Johns and John Mystishin were standouts in this game.

Saint Clair vs. Schuylkill Haven

The Saints won their first games of the season at Schuylkill Haven in a scoring duel by a score of 28-19. Three touchdown runs by Billy Wolff, who played the game with a fractured thumb, a plunge by Clem Wapinsky, and extra points by Premich gave the Red and Blue Team its victory over Captain "Butch" Reed and his team mates.

Saint Clair vs. West Mahanoy Township

Saint Clair's next victory on the gridiron came in the game with West Mahanoy Township at Shenandoah. Premich scored on a pass early in the first period and West Mahanoy fought valiantly for a victory but lost all hopes when Schaeffer went down the sidelines to clinch the game with a second touchdown in the fourth period.

Saint Clair vs. Ashland

Ashland proved to be another tough one for the Saints to lose, but Coach Stranko's charges lost the game when an Ashland player recovered a deflected pass in the air and raced the distance to the goal line to break a 6-6 tie.

Saint Clair vs. Frackville

Winding up the football season in a blaze of glory, Saint Clair crushed the Mountaineers of Frackville by a 26-6 score. Touchdowns by Wapinsky, Wolff, Johns, and Buletza highlighted the game, which was a passing duel between Joe Staneck of Frackville and Billy Wolff of the Saints. The brilliant play of the line in this game indicates great things to be expected as only one man is lost from the line and three from the backfield.

Player	*Position*	*Weight*
A. Premich	LE	150
J. Covach	LT	170
J. Mystishin	LG	160
P. Thomas	C	145
J. Antalosky	RG	140
J. Peters	RT	170
M. Hresko	RE	155
W. Wolff	QB	165
M. Buletza	LH	135
C. Wapinsky	RH	145
A. Giemza	FB	165

SCHEDULE

Won 3 Lost 5 Tied 0

	S.C.H.S.	*Opp.*
Pottsville—A*	7	13
Minersville—A*	0	21
East Mahanoy Township—H	0	2
Nesquehoning—A	0	38
Schuylkill Haven—A	28	19
West Mahanoy Township—A	13	0
Ashland—A	6	12
Frackville—A*	26	6

H—Home Games A—Away Games *—Night Games

Basketball

Basketball at Saint Clair was a process of building for the future. The Varsity squad, composed of all Seniors, played a hard schedule winning six games while losing fourteen. Five games were lost by no more than two points and all of them were hard fought affairs. With a little better shooting average the team would have won the majority of its games. All teams played, with two exceptions, were veteran combinations. However, the Saints never quit fighting for a minute, and every fray was bitterly contested until the final whistle.

Wolff, Wapinsky, and Yaneck with 242, 137, and 112 points respectively, were the leading scorers. Andy Premich was probably the most valuable player, setting up plays and sparking the team. Lizak, Raus, Goodman, Kostrey, Webb, and Tirola made up the rest of the squad whose playing was much better than its record.

The bright side of the basketball picture was the developing system begun this year. A classy, fast passing Jay Vee squad that won sixteen games losing but four and two of those in two overtime periods brings high hopes for a successful season next year. Freshman, Sophomore, and Junior teams comprised a six team intramural league while a six team Jr. Hi league was started. This developing augurs well for the future and the Clairian sincerely hopes the Saints will once more become Monarchs of the league.

TEAM'S RECORD

St. Clair	33	Schuylkill Haven	35—A	St. Clair	45	Girardville	22—H
St. Clair	42	Schuylkill Haven	21—H	St. Clair	26	Ashland	35—H
St. Clair	37	Port Carbon	38—A	St. Clair	26	Frackville	40—H
St. Clair	53	Port Carbon	37—H	St. Clair	28	Gilberton	52—A
St. Clair	24	Pottsville	40—H	St. Clair	33	Butler Twp.	32—H
St. Clair	31	Frackville	57—A	St. Clair	19	West Mahanoy Twp.	24—A
St. Clair	33	Gilberton	34—H	St. Clair	31	East Mahanoy Twp.	53—H
St. Clair	32	Butler Twp.	59—A	St. Clair	30	Ashland	32—A
St. Clair	22	West Mahanoy Twp.	27—H	St. Clair	42	Cass Twp.	37—A
St. Clair	40	East Mahony Twp.	60—A	St. Clair	55	Girardville	26—A

Won 6 games—Lost 14 games.

FIRST ROW: *Left to Right:* Lizak, Kostrey, Yanek, Premich, Goodman. SECOND ROW: Tirola, Gould, Raus, Webb. THIRD ROW: Trout, Reese, A. Crawshaw, Wolff (absent).

FRONT ROW: *Left to Right:* Reese, Feryo. SECOND ROW: Honas, Kralick, Buletza, Bramley. THIRD ROW: Pogash, Shandor, Love, Maley. FOURTH ROW: Watunya, Roman, Miklochik, Laurie.

JUNIOR VARSITY

Team Statistics

Player	*Games*	*Field Goals*	*Foul Goals*	*Foul Tries*	*Total Points*	*Position*
Buletza	19	56	26	59	138	F
Johns	16	48	18	40	114	F
Shandor	19	33	13	43	79	G
Kralick	19	27	9	19	63	G
Love	17	17	14	44	48	C
Bramley	16	14	6	14	34	F
Romans	13	12	3	7	27	C
Maley	16	5	4	18	14	G
Goodman	3	6	1	3	13	G
Miklochik	14	5	3	4	13	G
Gulas	11	4	2	7	10	G
Hanas	6	3	3	4	9	F
Pogash	10	1	0	4	2	F
Feryo	6	0	0	0	0	F
Total		231	102	306	564	

VARSITY

Player	*Position*	*Games*	*Field Goals*	*Foul Goals*	*Foul Tries*	*Total Points*
*Wolff	F	20	90	62	117	242
*Wapinsky	F	20	51	35	67	137
*Yaneck	C	20	50	12	26	112
*Premich	G	20	37	22	43	96
*Lizak	G	18	14	11	32	39
*Raus	F	16	10	10	16	30
*Goodman	G	16	4	7	16	15
*Kostrey	C	18	4	3	12	11
Webb	G	7	1	0	1	2
Tirola	G	6	0	1	1	1
Gould	F	4	0	0	0	0
Totals			261	163	331	685
Opponent's			297	340	139	733

*Denotes Letter Winner

Baseball

The 1944 baseball season was a decided success in spite of many obstacles. War time restrictions on material and a team composed of but veterans failed to keep the Saints from their customary places in the Sun. The team finished second in the North Schuylkill League, and but for a stunning upset victory by Butler, might have again been champions. The Saints were the only team to defeat Frackville, the champions.

The team was composed of Sophomores and Juniors with John Tokarick as the only Senior in the line-up. Tom Honas, the Sophomore speed ball pitcher, hung up an enviable record averaging fourteen strike outs per game. Ed Yaneck hit baseball's Hall of Fame with a no hit-no run triumph over Mahanoy Township. Those two, with Joe Romanko, formed a pitching staff that won the majority of the games played. Billy Wolff's five successive doubles at Ashland set a league record while the flashy fielding of Tokarick and Corby paced the Saints' defense.

With Tokarick as the only loss through graduation, the outlook for the Saints for the coming year is excellent. Barring unforeseen accidents, the team should once more attain the permanent heights. Saint Clair's baseball record is enviable, no team finishing lower than second in the North Schuylkill League. This year's edition promises once more to tread the champions' path.

BASEBALL SCHEDULE

4	Saint Clair vs. Branch Township	2
0	Saint Clair vs. Minersville	2
7	Saint Clair vs. West Mahanoy Township	1
9	Saint Clair vs. Gilberton	5
3	Saint Clair vs. East Mahanoy Township	1
17	Saint Clair vs. Butler Township	2
2	Saint Clair vs. Minersville	5
17	Saint Clair vs. Branch Township	4
5	Saint Clair vs. Ashland	7
5	Saint Clair vs. Frackville	2
7	Saint Clair vs. West Mahanoy Township	9
17	Saint Clair vs. Ashland	4
7	Saint Clair vs. East Mahanoy Township	0
1	Saint Clair vs. Butler Township	6
3	Saint Clair vs. Frackville	3
11	Saint Clair vs. Gilberton	2

LINE-UP

1b	*Wapinsky
2b	*Resavage
3b	*Webb
ss	*Wolff
lf	*Corby
cf	*Tokarick
rf	*Romanko
c	*Bodnar
p	*Honas
p	*Yaneck

*Goodman
Buletza
*Brady
Shandor
Bramley
Kachek
Crawshaw—Mgr.
*Letterman

FIRST ROW: *Left to Right:* Weber, Mgr.; Reese, Coach; Crawshaw, Mgr.; Pogash, Mgr. SECOND ROW: Wolff, Wapinsky, Yaneck, Webb, J. Romanko. THIRD ROW: Goodman, Brady, Honas, Resavage, Kachek. FOURTH ROW: Shandor, M. Romanko, Corby.

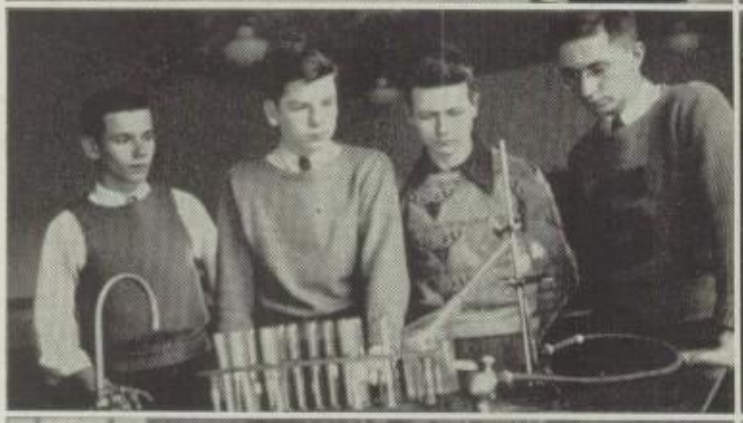
Cheerleaders

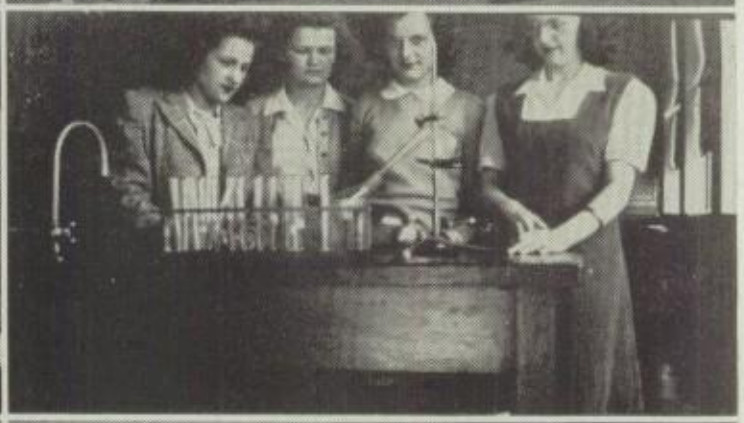
Every athletic team needs the support of the school to help bring victory. Through the cheering section many an athlete has been urged to greater effort to bring victory for the honor and glory of the school. School spirit is displayed in unity of purpose—our athletic teams on the field, court, and diamond fighting for victory—our cheer leaders and cheering section on the sidelines, backing up the boys and doing their share to help win the victory.

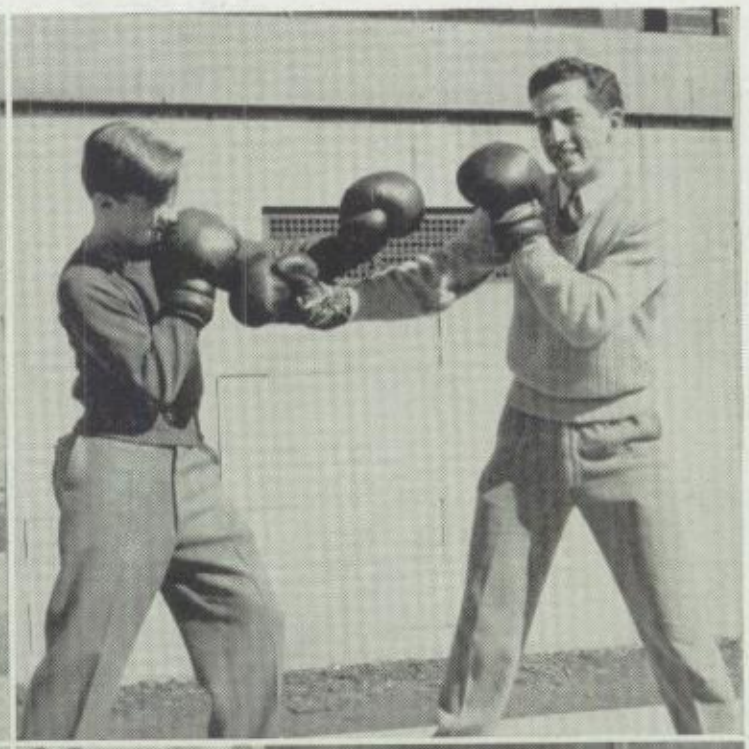
The Red and Blue athletic teams were ably supported on the sidelines by a cheering section and cheer leaders, with plenty of enthusiasm. Led by Head Cheer Leader, Justine Sakmari, the cheer leaders were tireless in their efforts to help the boys chalk up victories. With the addition of eight newcomers to last year's holdovers, the squad made a snappy appearance and were a credit to the town and school.

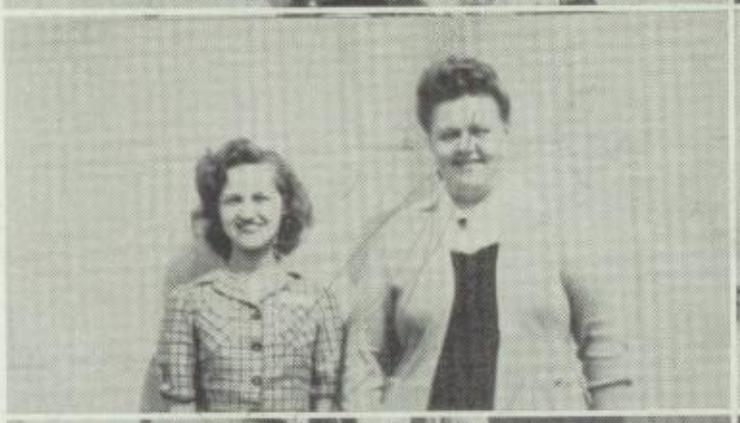
Let's continue to support our teams and cheer leaders and help bring victory to Saint Clair High School!

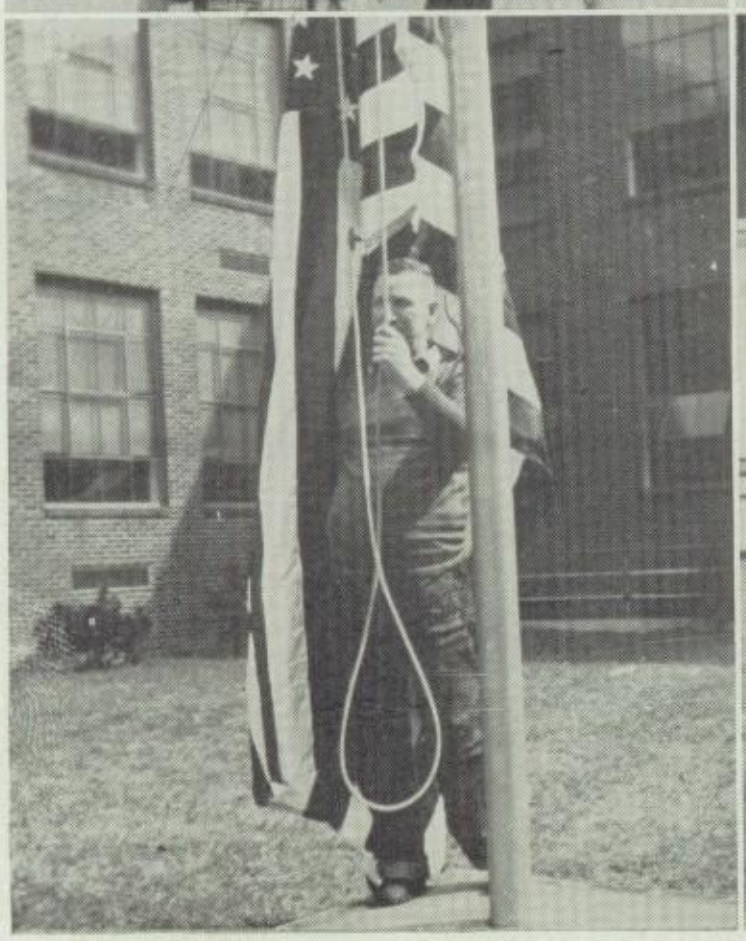
KNEELING: *Left to Right:* Nancy Flannery, Margaret Nauncikas, Justine Sakmari. SEATED: Lillian Simsic, Melvine Andriyausky, Irene Kurdy, Rose Marie Kressell, Jean Peters, Linda Lee Heilenman, Justine Zulick, Mary Frances Baker.

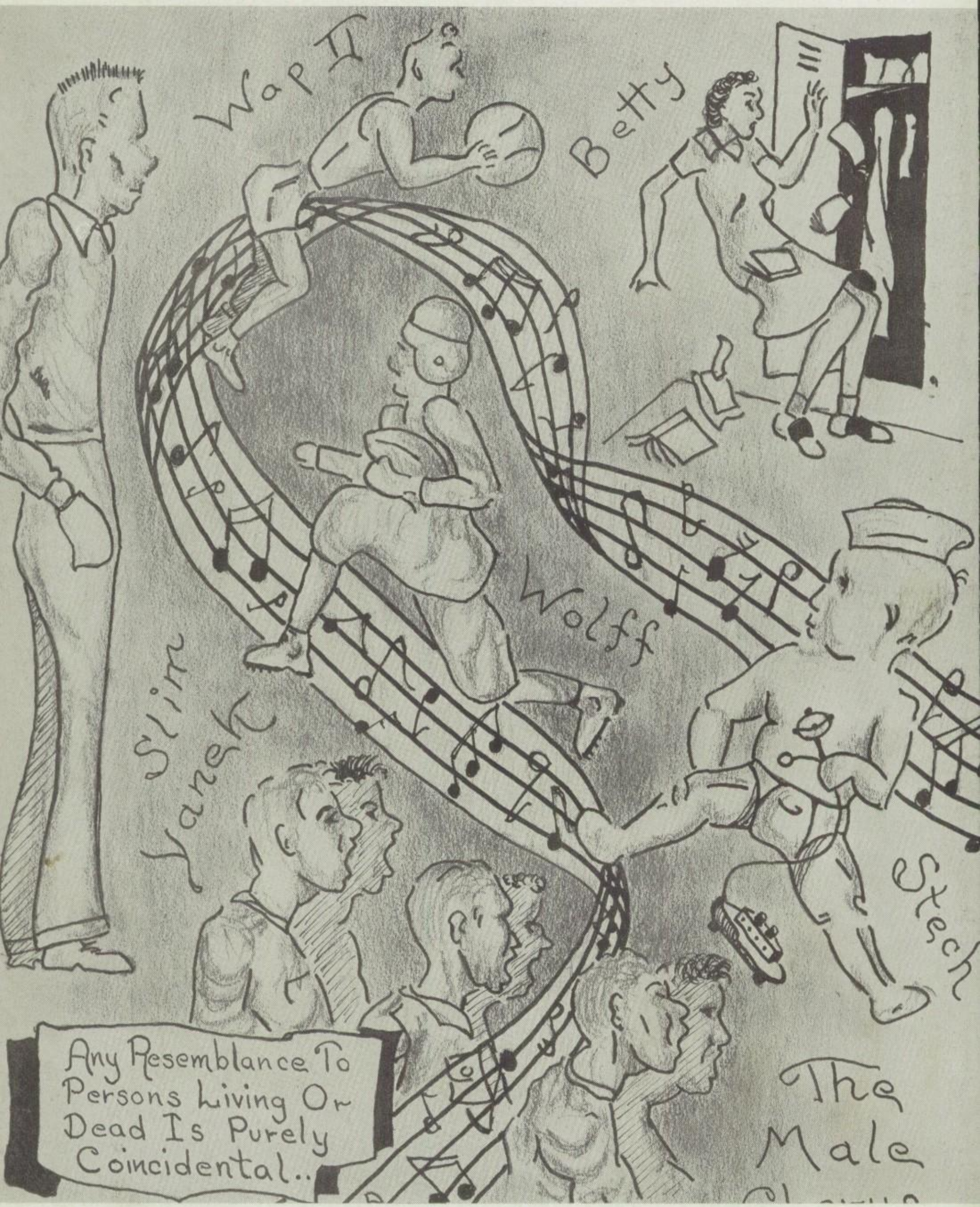












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SPECIAL

Our Mascot

Class Poet

ROBERT WEAVER

Pause a moment and gaze about
    And I am sure you will behold,
Pictured just above this poem,
    Our mascot worth his weight in gold.

He answers to the name of Scotty
    And represents what's good in life.
Just looking at him, you can see
    That he's against all storm and strife.

We now leave dear old Saint Clair High
    And so that you will not forget us,
We give you all, this picture of
    Our wondrous, priceless Canis Genus.

Patrons

Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Barlas
Mr. and Mrs. William Barnes
Miss Margaret M. Barrett
Mr. and Mrs. Edward Barry
Miss Katherine M. Beck
Miss Bessie G. Beese
Mr. Charles R. Birch
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Miss Margaret J. Jones
Mr. and Mrs. Michael Kalyan, Sr.
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Mr. and Mrs. John Kelly
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Mr. and Mrs. George Klein
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Mrs. Mary Knezo
Mr. and Mrs. George Kostrey
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Very Rev. and Mrs. A. S. Kuharsky
Mr. and Mrs. Michael Kundrack
Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Kurtek
Mr. and Mrs. Jonas Lightstone
Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Lishman
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Miss Emma Mae Price
Pfc. Harry J. Price
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athryn or should I say Chicken:
So girl who I have known practically all
my life I wish you all the luck in the
world.
Remember how I use to tell you what our
class use to do in Buck's room & how
you use to tell me what the seniors
did in Mooney's room. We both had
grand times in different ways.
Remember history class and bookkeeping
class was comical. But most of all
remember Study Period in the library
on Mondays at 9 & 9:15. There never
was a class that could compete with
that one. It had everything in that
you couldn't be serious, after all we
all need a laugh. What would we
do without your funny smiles & your
red coloring or blushing which we
all love to rag about. It was reflection from
my jacket, wasn't it?
Remember the talks about chicken. How
when Jap sided up with my ideas! He's
a nice kid and I wish you eat enough
chicken for the rest of your life.
Again I wish you all the luck the world
has to offer you always in all ways.
Keep smiling & blushing & everything
will go well.

As always,
Pauline

June 5, 1945

Dear Kathyrn,

I know that in so little words I cannot express all the wishes that I am wishing for you. All the luck, success & happiness in the world are only a few I am wishing. I want you to know as another year of school comes to an end, that I shall always remember you as one of the sweetest & nicest girls I have ever met. Everyone who ever met you will know what I mean. I want you to know how much fun I had with you & wish it would never end, but you know as well as I it is impossible. In everyone's life there is allways some kind of a parting. Sometimes we like to part with someone we don't like but when you've known someone for a while they grow very dear friends. I hope our friendship will not be dropped now that we are leaving Saint Clair High School for another summer. Who knows? Maybe next year we will be reunited again & have much more fun. Always remember the good times we had in Bookkeeping class. Also in activity period & when we were getting the Seniors to sign our clairians. In later years when you read this always remember me as one of your friends because that's what I will think of you. I will close hoping that our paths will meet again in the near future when this war will be over & the world will again be peaceful.

Please remember me as a friend,

Jane Becker